Today's Weather. Fair.

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NEWS SUMMARY

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THE WEATHER

Fair weather is promised for today and tomorrow for Pittsburgh and vicinity by the Washington observer. The maximum temperature yesterday was 58 and the minimum 36 degrees. The sun rose clear at 5:01 yesterday. The daily report, as furnished by the local weather bureau, follows:

Fair.

Time.	Bare.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m....	30.32	37	87	W.	Clear.
8 p. m....	30.44	49	54	N.W.	Clear.

Comparative temperature and precipitation for November 16:

	1904	1903		1904	1903
Maximum ...	58	64	Mean	47	54
Minimum ...	36	44	Precipitation	..	1.13

Nor. temp. 33 yrs., 48 | Nor. precip. 31 yrs., .08
Exc. for day ..... 4 | Dfcy. since Nov. 1...1.09
Dfcy. since Nov. 1, 28 | Dfcy. since Jan. 1...1.30
Dfcy. since Jan. 1 345 |

Official Weather Report.

Western Pennsylvania—Fair Thursday and Friday; variable winds, becoming fresh southeast.

West Virginia—Fair Thursday and Friday.

Ohio—Fair Thursday and Friday; fresh east to southeast winds, increasing.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations at 8 p. m.:

Cairo	56 Clear	St. Louis...	54 Clear
Omaha	58 Cloudy	Cincinnati ..	50 Clear
Buffalo	36 Clear	Indianapolis	52 Clear
El Paso	58 Clear	Chicago	52 Clear
Marquette ..	40 Cloudy	Kansas City.	62 Clear
St. Paul...	48 Cloudy	Louisville ..	54 Clear
Duluth	44 Cloudy	Chattanooga	52 Clear
Huron	46 Clear	Nashville ...	54 Clear
Helena	48 Cloudy	Washington	52 Clear
Cheyenne ...	44 Clear	Philadelphia	50 Clear
El Paso	44 Clear	New York ...	44 Clear
Denver	50 Clear	San Antonio.	72 Cloudy
Pueblo	54 Clear	New Orleans	72 Clear
Salt Lake ..	60 Clear		

FOUGHT BESIDE HER HUSBAND

Brave Haritena Korotkiewitch Was Port Arthur's Mollie Pitcher.

SHROUDED IN FLAG

Midshipman Dimitrieff Is the Citadel's Hero of the Hour.

SANK A JAPANESE DESTROYER

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

CHEFOO, Nov. 16.—The Port Arthur Novikrai, of November 12, brought to Chefoo this morning by the Russian torpedo boat destroyer Rastorophy, contains a romantic story of Haritena Korotkiewitch, who, although a woman, served valorously in many fights at Port Arthur, until death closed her strange career.

The husband of Haritena Korotkiewitch was serving at Port Arthur. Endeavoring to join him, she was stopped at Harbin, and was not allowed to proceed further, owing to her sex. She then donned masculine attire, and succeeded in reaching Port Arthur shortly before the landing of the Japanese on the peninsula of Liao-Tung.

Finding her husband's regiment, the woman enlisted in it. She participated in numerous sorties, and although her sex was soon discovered, her record for bravery, tirelessness and attention to the wounded, and the excellent moral influence she exerted over the soldiers, who never swore in her presence, won her permission to remain in the ranks.

While fighting side by side with her husband, the latter was wounded. His wife nursed him until the crisis in his case was passed, when she returned to the front. She became messenger to Capt. Gouzakofsky of the Thirteenth regiment. In the performance of her duties as messenger she was often seen riding fearlessly from one position to another, seemingly unaffected by the bursting of shells or the din of battle.

Russian Flag Her Shroud.

October 16 she visited the trenches with dispatches when huge shells from the Japanese guns struck and destroyed the Russian position. Haritena Korotkiewitch and eight others were instantly killed. They were buried in one grave, with the Russian flag wrapped around Haritena's body.

The Novikrai of November 11, prints details of a daring exploit which resulted in the sinking of a four-funnelled Japanese torpedo boat destroyer.

Japanese torpedo boats and one destroyer were engaged in removing mines, mostly their own, from Tache bay, November 3. Midshipman Dimitrieff conceived the idea that he could torpedo the Japanese boats under cover of darkness. It was the very audacity of the plan, the Novikrai says, that made it successful.

Securing a steam launch from the battleship Retvizan, carrying a torpedo tube, and accompanied by half a dozen volunteers, Midshipman Dimtrieff, in the intense darkness slipped out of the harbor, and evaded the Japanese searchlights. Circling around the Japanese boats at top speed, the midshipman came within striking distance, and launched his projectile. It sped through to the destroyer. There was a sudden explosion, and the destroyer sank immediately.

The launch then sped toward the harbor, but was not pursued, the Japanese evidently having not observed it, and thinking the destroyer had struck one of her own mines.

IS NO REVOLUTION.

President Amador of Panama Denies Reports of Plots and Disorders In New Republic.

NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—The Panaman consulate in this city today received a dispatch from President Manuel Amador, which read:

"Deny reports of disorder or plot."

This message was sent in contradiction of the reports which reached Washington Tuesday that the enemies of President Amador were conspiring to overthrow him, and that they control the balance of the $10,000,000 which the United States still owes Panama for the canal rights.

FIREMEN ASK FOR NATIONAL ORGANIZATION

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 16.—At the session of the American Federation of Labor today the City Firemen's Protective association of Pittsburgh introduced a resolution which, if carried, will instruct the American Federation of Labor to make an effort to organize the fire departments throughout the country.

WILL SEND MISS RUSH'S BODY TO NEW YORK

SAN DIEGO, CAL., Nov. 16.—The body of Isidore Rush, the actress, who died of heart failure while bathing in the surf last Monday, will be sent to New York tomorrow.

Lions, at Liberty, Cause Excitement.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 16.—(Special.)—Three lions escaped from their winter quarters with the Robinson circus at Terrace park this afternoon. Two were immediately re-caged, but one full sized African beast broke across the hills, spreading terror as he went, but finding the temperature unlike his native jungle, was eventually driven back to the more comfortable animal shed.

Injured by Falling Cage.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Nov. 16.—By the falling of a cage at the cupola of the Ohio plant of the Carnegie Steel Company today Paul Keppe had his skull fractured and will probably die. Four other men, foreigners, were severely hurt, but will recover. The cage had not been used for some time and the cable slipped from the drum, throwing the men to the ground.

1—Gen. Stoessel, the gallant defender of Port Arthur.
2—Gen. Fuji, the newly appointed Japanese governor of Manchuria.
3—Chin, the head of the Chinchuses, now in the employ of the Japanese, is in the center, and the Japanese on his right served as a spy at Niuchwang during the Russian occupation.

TRAINS MET ON AN OPEN SWITCH

Three Passengers Dead, Nine Others Injured in Pere Marquette Road Crash.

RESPONSIBILITY NOT PLACED

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

GRAND RAPIDS, MICH., Nov. 16.—Three passengers were killed and nine or more passengers and trainmen injured in a rear-end passenger train collision today at Elmdale, on the Pere Marquette railroad.

THE DEAD:

M. SIMONS, 315 Seventy-ninth street, New York city.
J. L. STRELITZKEY, 4839 Champlain avenue, Chicago.
UNKNOWN NEGRO.

THE INJURED:

R. C. SAVOYE, 183 South Union street, Grand Rapids, Mich.; burns and leg fractured.
C. I. PICKETT, Boston, scalded knee.
—— CHARLES, Cuba, N. Y., cuts and burns.
J. L. SMITH, 131 Washington street, Grand Rapids, cuts and burns; not serious.
B. A. LANCHIE, Bay City, Mich., burns, not serious.
ALLEN LEE, 1633 Marquette street, Chicago, slightly injured.
EXPRESS MESSENGER WATKINS, slightly injured.
BAGGAGEMAN BOTSFORD, slightly injured.

The collision occurred at Elmdale Junction, 23 miles east of Grand Rapids. Both trains were east-bound, No. 6 for Detroit and No. 34 for Saginaw. The Saginaw train had preceded the Detroit train out of Grand Rapids by a few minutes, and was standing on a "Y" at Elmdale, where the Saginaw division branches off from the Detroit division. Through some mistake the switch was not turned behind the Saginaw train and the Detroit train also ran upon the "Y," the engine of the Detroit train crashing into the rear of the parlor car of the Saginaw train.

The passengers injured were in the parlor car of the latter, and the trainmen who were hurt were on the Detroit train. The Pere Marquette officials at Detroit state that the Detroit train was running slow, as it was approaching a station.

No explanation has been made as to where the responsibility lies for failure to throw the switch behind the Saginaw train when it had turned from the Detroit division. Ordinarily there is 20 minutes' time between the two trains, but tonight the Saginaw train was held at Grand Rapids to wait for passengers from a train on the Chicago division.

Through the arrangement the Detroit train was following close behind the Saginaw train as far as Elmdale.

Late tonight the mangled body of a negro was dug out of the wreck. It is supposed the body is that of the porter of the parlor car, though it is so badly mangled as to make identification extremely difficult. The passengers killed and injured were in the parlor car.

The engine of the Detroit train plowed its way through one-third the length of the Saginaw parlor car.

LACKS ASSERTIVENESS, SAYS ODELL, OF DEPEW

New York Governor, However, Says There Will Be "No Fight." Platt Is Friendly.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—Gov. Odell of New York, who arrived last night, took luncheon with President Roosevelt this afternoon and this evening. He was asked about the reports that he and Senator Platt were about to measure strength again over the question of party supremacy in New York and that they would have a fight over the election of a successor to Senator Depew.

"I have never promised to support any man for the senatorship. I understand that Senator Platt is supporting Senator Depew," said the governor. "He has a perfect right to do that. But it is not entirely in accordance with our understanding before the election. Senator Platt was desirous that a pledge should be given that Mr. Depew should be re-elected. All I could say was that the matter must be left in my hands to be worked out. It was then agreed that neither of us should agitate the matter for the present.

"There will be no fight. I have a warm feeling for Senator Depew. He has done grand work for the party. There are many reasons why he should be re-elected. He has, however, been criticised for a lack of assertiveness which should not be so much in evidence in a state like New York."

CHINESE REBELS ARE VICTORIOUS

Defeat Imperial Troops and Capture Chief Towns of Kwangsi Province.

THE GOVERNMENT IS AROUSED

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

SHANGHAI, Nov. 16.—The rebels have repulsed the imperial troops at Liu-Chow-Enu, in the province of Kwangsi, Southern China. They have captured Yuen-Shien, Tien-Hosien, Locheng-Shien, Huaiyen-Haien and Liu-Chen, five of the principal towns in the province. The merchants and bankers fled from the town.

Chou-Fu, former governor of the province of Shantung, who was recently appointed viceroy at Nanking, has been ordered to proceed immediately to his post, and to take measures to check the rebels in the Yang-Tse valley.

A dispatch from Shanghai, October 13, reported a three-days' fight between Chinese troops and rebels at Locheng-Shien, one of the towns mentioned in the foregoing cablegram, in which a large body of the latter was defeated.

WANT PLACE OF HONOR IN INAUGURAL PARADE

President Roosevelt Is Already Being Offered Special Escorts for March 4.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—President Roosevelt already is being offered special escorts of honor to attend him on his inauguration on the 4th of March next. Representative James S. Sherman of New York today tendered him the services of the Conklin Unconditional club of Utica, N. Y., said to be one of the best drilled and equipped marching clubs in the country.

The president replied that if he should conclude to award the place of honor to a political organization he would be glad to give the proposition of the Utica club consideration. He indicated, however, that an offer had been received from Troop A of Cleveland, which constituted the escort of honor at the inauguration of President McKinley, and from the organization of his own regiment of Rough Riders to act in that capacity at his inauguration. No determination of the question has been reached, and it may be some time before the president announces his decision.

SENOR COREA GOES HOME TO GET PROOFS

NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—(Special.)—Senor Corea, the Nicaraguan minister whose marriage to Mrs. Ilah Jordan Dunlop of Macon, Ga., was postponed because of charges affecting his social position and ancestry, sailed today for Nicaragua to obtain proofs of his position.

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CODY SUSPECT EASILY CAUGHT

Captors Got "Drop" on Bad Man and He Is Now in Limbo.

CANNOT BE MADE TO TALK

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CODY, WYO., Nov. 16.—News has just been received by telephone from Thermopolis that Deputy Sheriff Edwards, whose saloon was held up by two masked men, has captured the larger of the two robbers with the assistance of Bill Hanner and a man named Gardiner. The captured man appears to fill the description of the one who shot Middaugh in the attempted bank robbery in Cody. The capture was made about three-quarters of a mile above the mouth of Owl creek in the Big valley, a few miles from Thermopolis.

The three rode cautiously upon the ruffian and succeeded in getting a "drop" on him before he was aware of their presence, and upon being questioned as to the identity and whereabouts of his partner, he refused to utter a single word. In fact, he has remained silent ever since his capture.

Upon his person were found a six-shooter and some money that are known to be the same as taken from Edwards' saloon yesterday. Parties from Cody will go over to Thermopolis for the purpose of identifying the captured man as the larger of the two who attempted to hold up the bank here. It will be remembered that it was the largest of the two men who fired the fatal shot that killed Middaugh.

HE WANTS TO COME TO PITTSBURGH FOR TRIAL

Prisoner at Milwaukee Alleged to Have Committed Diamond Robbery Here.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

MILWAUKEE, Nov. 16.—Charles Max, alias Charles Mack, alias Charles Harris, alias George Hart, held in the county jail awaiting trial on a charge of grand larceny, second offense, is making strenuous efforts to be taken back to Pittsburgh where he is wanted on another charge of diamond robbery. It is probable, however, that local authorities will refuse to release him until after he has served his sentence in this state, providing he is found guilty as charged.

Max is alleged to have stolen $2,400 worth of diamonds from W. S. Pipes, a diamond dealer of Pittsburgh, about one month ago. He was arrested in this city October 29, soon after obtaining a pair of diamond earrings, it is alleged.

Greek Fraternities Elect Officers.

NEW HAVEN, CONN., Nov. 16.—(Special.)—Elections were today announced for members of the Yale class of 1907 into the four junior fraternities. The following Western Pennsylvania boys were chosen—Alpha Delta Phi: Franklin Augustus Dean, Jr., Allegheny; James Lynn Michell of Franklin; Charles Oliver, Allegheny. Zeta Psi: William Welch Collin, Jr., Pittsburgh; William Francis Knox, Pittsburgh, and Robert Ralph Lockwood, Zelienople.

WELCOME FOR MR. FAIRBANKS

Vice President-Elect Receives It from Old Friends.

PARTY IS FORGOTTEN

Democrats and Republicans Alike Join in Paying Tribute to Fellow Citizen.

KERN WAS PRESIDING OFFICER

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., Nov. 16.—Political affiliations were forgotten tonight when several hundred representative men of both Republican and Democratic parties assembled at the Commercial club to congratulate Senator Charles W. Fairbanks, vice president-elect.

John W. Kern, Democratic nominee for governor, sat between Senator Albert J. Beveridge and Senator Fairbanks, and the combination added enthusiasm when the leaders of the two parties engaged in friendly political repartee. The club rooms were crowded and many were forced to stand. John W. Kern acted as chairman of the meeting and called upon Senator Fairbanks, Senator Beveridge, Judge F. E. Gavin and Addison C. Harris, formerly minister to Austria.

Senator Fairbanks was given prolonged applause when he rose to speak. In his introductory address Mr. Kern paid high tribute to the vice president-elect, saying in the whole campaign he heard no bitter word fall from his lips, and that he yielded the same liberty to his opponents as he himself claimed under the American flag.

"We are all Democrats and good ones during the campaign," he said, "but when the campaign is over, we add something to Democracy by remaining American citizens, and we are ready and willing to place our faith in the man whom the people have selected."

Senator Fairbanks was touched by the welcome given him.

"All the words of the human tongue," he said, "are too poor to express my appreciation of this kind and generous greeting."

Senator Fairbanks remarked on the lack of bitterness in the past campaign. "In all my political experience," he said, "no word has escaped my lips that I would not utter to my dearest friend."

"Mr. Kern has won a glorious victory," he continued, "although he was not elected governor, in winning the hearts of all the people of Indiana by his high and manly conduct during the campaign."

Senator Fairbanks spoke of the value he placed upon home ties and home friends. "The honors I value most are not in other states," he said with feeling. "They are here in this room, in this city, in this state. The honors that abide in my heart longest are not those that I win in other realms, but those that I win in the hearts of my friends and neighbors. I value the friendship of my opponent, as I value that of my own party."

During his talk Judge Gavin said that the people of the country rejoiced in the election of a man fitted and equipped not only for the second position of the nation, but the first as well.

At the close of the speeches the reception was informal and the members were given an opportunity to personally congratulate Senator Fairbanks.

Senator Fairbanks and Mrs. Fairbanks will leave tomorrow for Springfield, O., where the vice president-elect will visit his mother during the evening, leaving the following day for New Haven for the Yale-Harvard football game.

Senator Fairbanks will reach New York Saturday. He said tonight that he might not return west until after the next session of congress had been called.

RUSSIA WILL BREAK WORD WITH ENGLAND

Admiralty Will Force Foreign Office to Do This in North Sea Matter, It Is Said.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

LONDON, Nov. 17.—The Daily Telegraph's St. Petersburg correspondent this morning asserts the admiralty has gained an ascendency which compels the foreign office to repudiate its agreement with Great Britain, and that Count Benkendorff, Russian ambassador to Great Britain, will be made the scapegoat and probably will be recalled. Meantime, he adds, the negotiations are at a standstill and the matter will be referred to the emperor.

A dispatch from Reuter's Telegram Company from St. Petersburg, however, confirms dispatches that Russia does not desire in any way to recede from the basis of the agreement, but proposes a modification of the language submitted in the British text.

FREE PASSAGE FOR THE CZAR'S WARSHIPS

SUEZ, EGYPT, Nov. 16.—The governor has summoned a meeting of the consuls, and has asked them to inform shipping agents that during the passage through the canal of the ships of the Russian second Pacific squadron, all vessels proceeding northward will be stopped, allowing the Russian warships free passage.

SECOND DIVISION OF BALTIC FLEET SAILS

LIBU, RUSSIA, Nov. 16.—The second division of the Russian second Pacific squadron sailed today. It consists of the cruisers Oleg and Izumrud, the auxiliary cruisers Kuban, Terek and Orel; the cruisers Rion and Dneiper, and the torpedo boat destroyers Lieuty, Bezity, Gromki, Grozny and Trozorlivy.

BIG MAJORITY IN CONGRESS

Republicans Exceed Democrats by 116 in House of Representatives.

GAINS ARE NOTABLE

Pennsylvania Gets Two, and Ohio Three in the General Landslide.

ANOTHER BREAK IN SOUTH

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau,
Room 10, Postal Building.
WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 16.

It has been found the Republican majority in the house of representatives in the Fifty-ninth congress will be 116. This is far in excess of the most enthusiastic claims of the Republicans up to this time. John R. Williams, file clerk of the house, today completed the unofficial roster of the next house and sent the copy to the printer. It was in compiling this list the great majority was discovered.

The majority in the present house is 34. According to the unofficial returns, gathered from newspaper accounts and made as reliable as possible in the absence of the official figures, the Republicans on November 8 made a gain of 41 members, which amounts to a change of 82. This, added to the present majority of 34, makes a majority of 116 in the next house, which will consist of 251 Republicans and 135 Democrats. The Republicans made gains in the various states as follows: California 3, Delaware 1, Illinois 6, Indiana 2, Iowa 1, Kentucky 1, Massachusetts 1, Michigan 1, Minnesota 1, Missouri 8, Nebraska 1, Nevada 1, New Jersey 2, New York 6, North Carolina 1, Ohio 8, Pennsylvania 2.

New Pennsylvania Congressmen.

The two districts gained in Pennsylvania by the Republicans are the Sixteenth and Twenty-sixth. The former is represented by Charles H. Dickerman, but he was not a candidate for re-election. E. W. Samuels was the Republican candidate who defeated Harry E. Davis. In the Twenty-sixth district G. A. Schneebeli, the Republican candidate, won over Joseph H. Shull, the present congressman, who ran independently, and David Broadhead, the regular Democratic nominee. This three-cornered fight gave the election to the Republicans.

The six congressmen gained by the Republicans in New York were all gathered in Greater New York. Four of them were in Brooklyn and this quartet of defeated statesmen included the famous "anti-pass" Robert Baker, the man who made such a fuss about returning a railroad pass that had been given him. He was the most radical kind of a radical on all public questions and the house will be quieter for his absence. The other two members were gained in New York city, the Tammany stronghold.

Missouri contributed eight new Republican members, upsetting all calculations of both congressional committees. One of the Republican recruits from that state is Edgar C. Ellis, a Kansas City lawyer, who succeeds W. S. Cowherd, chairman of the Democratic congressional committee. The Republicans had expected to gain two in St. Louis and one in the state outside of that city. Instead St. Louis returned both of her Democratic members, while the gains were all made in the state.

Where the Mighty Fell.

Of the six members gained in Illinois, four of them are from Chicago, where Carter Harrison was supposed to have the political situation well in hand. One of the defeated Democratic members was James R. Williams, who was prominently mentioned before the St. Louis convention as a candidate for the vice presidential nomination.

Up in Minnesota, where the Democratic state ticket was elected by a large majority, although the electoral votes went to Roosevelt, the Republicans gained one member. Loren Fletcher beat C. H. Koehler in the Fifth district. This district is now represented by ex-Gov. John Lind, who was not a candidate for re-election.

Another invasion of the solid south was made when the Eighth district of North Carolina was carried by the Republican candidate, Spencer Blackburn, who defeated W. C. Newlands. Judge M. J. Wade, who represents the Second Iowa district, was defeated by Albert F. Dawson, Senator Allison's private secretary.

Representative Kline, the only Democrat who was elected from Pennsylvania, frankly attributes his election to Republicans. President Roosevelt carried the district which has heretofore had 8,000 Democratic majority by 1,100, while Mr. Kline got through by 1,800.

"The Republican victory was greatly helped along by Bryan Democrats," said Mr. Kline. "From what I can see they did not relish the nomination of Parker and all over the country they voted for Roosevelt, who suited their ideas much better than Parker did."

L. W. STRAYER.

ADMIRAL CHADWICK WILL LEAVE COMMAND

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—Rear Admiral French E. Chadwick, commanding the South Atlantic squadron, at his own request, will be relieved from command of that squadron. He is now on his flagship, the Brooklyn, at Puerto Militar, Brazil, and it is expected that he will start home in a few days on some family matters. No one will be appointed to succeed Admiral Chadwick as yet, it being desired to keep the appointment open so he can again assume command if it is so desired.

Devoe Predicts a Blizzard.

HACKENSACK, N. J., Nov. 16.—(Special.)—Weather Prophet Devoe says the temperature will fall rapidly and a blizzard prevail over the northern states tomorrow. Devoe predicted the blizzard of 1888.

LIVES LOST IN SUNDAY'S STORM

Vessel Went Down on Maine Coast and Her Crew Perished.

SAILORS RESCUED FROM MAST

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 16.—After having been lashed to a mast for more than 24 hours, Capt. Fisher and the crew of seven men of the brig C. C. Sweaney, were taken from their perilous position Tuesday afternoon by the steamer Hawaiian, from Honolulu for this port.

The brig left Charleston early last week for Philadelphia with a cargo of lumber. She encountered the southern hurricane Sunday off the Virginia coast. The deck load and houses were swept away, and the vessel finally broke in two. The crew then climbed the main mast and lashed themselves in the main sail to keep from being washed away.

The Hawaiian also reports having passed a four-masted schooner, bottom up, with masts floating alongside, about 70 miles southeast of the Delaware capes.

MACHIAS, ME., Nov. 16.—That three residents of Rogue Bluffs lost their lives in the storm Sunday night seemed certain today when an auxiliary fishing schooner was found sunken in six fathoms of water near Spruce island, five miles from Rogue Bluffs.

The boat was believed to be the Uncas, which left Eastport Sunday. Her crew consisted of Capt. John Wallace, Walter Davis and an unknown man.

WASHINGTON, N. C., Nov. 16.—Capt. Charles Williams and three others left here Saturday on the schooner Missouri for their home in Hyde county. Stormbound at Indian Head they anchored off the shore, but Sunday the wind blew them from their anchorage, the boat was capsized and all on board drowned.

NORFOLK, VA., Nov. 16.—Capt. Jack Benston of the Norfolk tug Grit, arriving here today from Pamlico sound, reports the rescue by his tug of Capt. Hutchins and Mrs. Hutchins from the houseboat Drift Lodge on Saddle Harbor shoals in the sound Sunday. Captain and Mrs. Hutchins were landed at the Portsmouth (N. C.) life saving station, where they are being cared for. The houseboat went to pieces soon after its occupants were taken off its partly submerged roof.

LIFE SAVING STATION AND CREW ARE LOST

NORFOLK, VA., Nov. 16.—Further advices from the Carolina coast, say that the New Inlet life saving station was destroyed by Sunday's hurricane, and that several of the crew stationed there were lost. A tidal wave washed across the strip of land separating the ocean from the sound.

AGED ONLY FOURTEEN, BUT A REGULAR TERROR

Kentucky Boy, Accused of Fatally Stabbing Playmate, Holds Sheriff's Posse at Bay.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

OWINGSVILLE, KY., Nov. 16.—The sheriff of Letcher county and a posse of several men returned from the hills today with one of the most desperate of prisoners—14-year-old Sam Hall—who gave them a long chase through the woods and underbrush. In a quarrel a few days ago, it is alleged, he stabbed a playmate of about his own age, inflicting probably fatal wounds and immediately took to the hills.

He was pursued and with great difficulty the sheriff's men succeeded in surrounding him. He was armed and from ambush fired upon the officers at every advance with such true aim that it was not until he had exhausted his ammunition and every avenue of escape cut off that he surrendered. He was placed in jail to await the result of his attack upon his playmate.

PORTUGAL'S KING MAY NAME FIFTH MEMBER

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 16.—The king of Portugal, it is believed here, will be selected to name the fifth member of the international commission which is to inquire into the North sea incident, in the event that the four admirals fail to agree on the selection of the fifth member.

Boy Hanged for Murder.

WETHERSFIELD, CONN., Nov. 17.—Joseph Watson, the colored boy who murdered Henry Osborn of Hartford last August, was hanged on the gallows this morning.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived, November 16.

New York—Frankfurt, from Bremen; Hohenzollern, from Genoa, Naples and Gibraltar; Majestic, from Liverpool and Queenstown.
Liverpool—Friesland, from Philadelphia.
Marseilles—Patria, from New York.
Glasgow—Astoria, from New York.
Naples—Crelic, from New York, via Gibraltar.
Tenerieffe—Hermonthis, from Seattle and San Francisco, via Central and South American ports, for Hamburg.
Dover—Patricia, from New York.
Hongkong—Arabic, from Portland, Ore., for Manila; Mongolia, from San Francisco, via Honolulu, Yokohama, etc.
Yokohama—Empress of Japan, from Vancouver.

Sailed, November 16.

New York—Oceanic, for Liverpool; Princess Irene, for Naples and Genoa; Rotterdam, for Rotterdam.
Antwerp—Belgenland, for Philadelphia.
Queenstown—Ivernia, for Boston.
Liverpool—Baltic, for New York, via Queenstown.
Manila—Siluny, for Portland, Ore.

Passed, November 16.

Brow Head—Cedric, from New York, for Queenstown and Liverpool.
Sagres—Peleus, from Glasgow and Liverpool, for Seattle, via Yokohama.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

NIXON—Maude Adams in "The Little Minister," 8:15 p. m.
NEW ALVIN—Harry Davis' stock company in "Charley's Aunt," 2 and 8 p. m.
GRAND OPERA HOUSE—Continuous vaudeville bill of 10 acts, headed by Pittsburgh's popular comedienne, Marion Ballou, 1:30 to 10:30 p. m.
GAYETY—Florence Bindley in "The Street Singer," 2 and 8 p. m.
BIJOU—Hallon Bros. "Superba," 8 p. m.
AVENUE—Harry Davis' musical travesty company in "Hurly-Burly," 2 and 8 p. m.
DUQUESNE—The Rays in "Down the Pike," 2 and 8 p. m.
EMPIRE—Annie Planche in "A Little Outcast," 8:15 p. m.
WILLIAMS' ACADEMY—The Imperials in burlesque, 2 and 8 p. m.
DUQUESNE GARDEN—Skating, afternoon and evening; music, concert.
ALLEGHENY CARNEGIE MUSIC HALL—Six hundred and forty-fourth free organ recital; Caspar P. Koch, city organist, assisted by George A. Jones, baritone; 8 p. m.
ST. ANDREW'S LUTHERAN CHURCH—Center and Morewood avenues, organ recital by Clarence Eddy, assisted by double quartet from the Apollo club, 8 p. m.

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IMPROVEMENT STOPPED BY DIRECTOR BIGELOW

Repealing Ordinance Blocks the Work of Viewers in Hamilton Avenue.

Property owners of Hamilton avenue, between Fifth and Penn avenues, appeared at the bureau of viewers in the city hall yesterday to hear the report of the viewers on the opening of the avenue, but they were surprised and disappointed to learn the proceedings had been invalidated by an ordinance of councils which was passed with the knowledge of many of the property owners interested. The viewers were also present, ready to read their report, when John Felmuth, chief clerk of the bureau, presented the ordinance repealing the opening of Hamilton avenue, which councils recently passed and the mayor signed. This ended the entire proceedings and the viewers adjourned.

City Solicitor Rodgers is expected to go into court today to ask that the suit of A. M. Murdoch to compel the viewers to file their report be dismissed. The move made by Director Bigelow in securing the passage of the repealing ordinance settles all efforts in the direction of extending Hamilton avenue during the term of the present councils. Director Bigelow objected to the report of the board of viewers, giving as his reason that the amount assessed against the city was too high.

The chief clerk of the bureau of viewers, acting under the instructions of Director Bigelow, delayed preparing the report of the viewers, and a suit was entered to compel the report to be presented and a rule was also asked to bring Director Bigelow before court for contempt for holding back the report. Bigelow then called councils together in a hurry and had passed the ordinance repealing the extension of the street. This repealer is expected to nullify the suit and contempt proceedings in court against Bigelow.

FAMED "PIKE" TO LOSE ITS PIG-TAIL COLONY

Chinese Performers to Be Deported at Once—Wong Dai Bound to Stay.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

ST. LOUIS, MO., Nov. 16.—"The Pike" at the world's fair will lose its Chinese population between now and Saturday. With one exception all of the 259 Chinese performers, waiters and employes who were brought here for the Chinese village concession will start this week for San Francisco to be deported next Thursday. The exception is Wong Dai. Wong got away a few days ago and the agents of Inspector Dunn have searched "Hop Alley" high and low without finding a trace of him.

The owners of the concession are under bond to return the people to China. Inspectors will accompany them to San Francisco and see that all are safely on board the ship.

NAN PATTERSON'S TRIAL OPENS IN NEW YORK

After Five Months in Tombs, Actress Faces Court for Alleged Murder of Caesar Young.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—After more than five months in the Tombs prison, Nan Patterson, the alleged slayer of Caesar Young, was placed on trial in the criminal branch of the supreme court today.

The prosecution will depend entirely upon circumstantial evidence in building up their case against the defendant, according to a statement made by Assistant District Attorney Rand during the examination of talesmen. Richard S. White, a lumber dealer, had declared himself opposed to finding a verdict in a capital case on circumstantial evidence alone, and referred to the possibility of eyewitnesses to the shooting testifying before the jury.

"So far as I know," said Mr. Rand, "the prosecution does not intend to call any eye witnesses to the shooting of Caesar Young."

Four jurors had been accepted when adjournment was taken for the day.

NEGLECTED HER "DUTY."

Oversight or Otherwise, Chicago Woman Pays Very Dearly for Customs House Experience.

NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—(Special.)—Omitting to declare a lot of handsome dresses yesterday, when she arrived on the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse after a long stay abroad, Mrs. Arthur Caton, a well-known society woman of Chicago, paid duty on them amounting to nearly $700. Mrs. Caton came from Europe to attend the horse show and her trunks contained some stunning costumes, fresh from Paris. When an inspector began to delve into her large trunks he immediately called an appraiser. The matter was satisfactorily adjusted by the payment of the duty.

JAPANESE HAVE CROSSED FROZEN SHAKHE RIVER

LONDON, Nov. 16.—The Morning Post's Shanghai correspondent reports that Japanese have crossed the frozen Shakhe river, and that an important engagement is impending. He also asserts that the Port Arthur garrison made a counter attack on the besiegers the night of November 13, and were driven back with heavy losses.

DR. WOODCOCK OF DETROIT IS BISHOP OF KENTUCKY

LOUISVILLE, KY., Nov. 16.—The diocesan council tonight elected Dr. Charles Edward Woodcock of Detroit Protestant Episcopal bishop of Kentucky. The Rev. W. G. Murray of Baltimore and the Rev. Arthur Lloyd of New York had been elected bishops and declined.

Aged Ohioan Hangs Himself.

WOOSTER, O., Nov. 16.—(Special.)—Six weeks ago aged Peter Ruchmault disappeared from his home near this city. This morning while boys were hunting rabbits they came upon his remains hanging to a tree in a thicket. This is the fifth suicide in this section within a short time.

Strike May Be Called Off.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Nov. 16.—(Special.)—A general meeting of all the strikers in the city has been called for tomorrow morning. It is said the fact that three of the strikers returned to work has caused the hurried call. The strikers will discuss the advisibility of calling off the strike.

Metcalf Returns to Washington.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—Secretary Metcalf of the department of commerce and labor returned to Washington today from Oakland, Cal., where he went to vote. He was accompanied on his return by Mrs. Metcalf, who will pass the winter here.

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KAISER WILHELM DER GROSSE WEATHERED ATLANTIC GALE

Brought the Duke and Duchess of Manchester With Their Son, Lord Mandeville, and His "Little Lord Fauntleroy" Hair.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—With salt encrusted funnels, bespeaking a fierce ordeal in the North Atlantic turmoil, the North German Lloyd line steamship Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse arrived here from Bremen today. There was not a day that the waves did not run mountains high, and last Monday the seas were so wild that passengers were not allowed on deck. The time of the voyage was six days, six hours and 29 minutes.

Among the passengers who remained unchecked when the customs inspectors completed their work of receiving the declarations of the passengers at the pier at Hoboken was the Hon. Viscount Lord Mandeville. There were loud calls for his lordship and as he did not appear the head steward was sent to search for him. He returned with a queer grin on his Teutonic features followed by the Lord Mandeville. His lordship was weeping and struggling in the arms of his governess. His long, yellow "Little Lord Fauntleroy" hair was disheveled and his long thin legs flailed about with great ferocity. Lord Mandeville is the three-year-old son of the duke and duchess of Manchester who were passengers.

The duchess, who was Miss Helen Zimmerman of Cincinnati, appeared in excellent health and never looked more beautiful. "We have made very few plans for our stay here said the duke, but I think that we will go direct to the west."

Other passengers of note were their imperial highnesses, the Princess Frederick, Carl and Johann Heinrich Von Hohenlohe, of the imperial household, who are here to attend the unveiling on Saturday of the statue of Frederick the Great which the kaiser presented to this country.

WAIF OF "ROUND-UP" WAS PRETTY WOMAN

For Six Years Wyoming Girl Passed as Cowboy—Illness Revealed Truth.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

DENVER, COL., Nov. 16.—For six years, Mary Collins, as she calls herself, her real name not known, rode the cattle ranges of Wyoming a waif of the round-up, and passed everywhere as an unusually good looking but typical cowboy.

Then an attack of appendicitis threatened her life and she came to St. Joseph's hospital in this city. At the threshold of death and with her sex revealed at once upon her arrival at the hospital, she told all her life's story save her name. She was operated upon without delay and her life saved. Last night she returned to Wyoming.

Born on a cattle ranch and an only child, she early learned to manage horses and help her father. Six years ago, when 16, she married a real cowboy. Her romance was blighted, for her cowboy lover and herself had little in common and they separated. In the interim her father and mother had died.

Thrown upon her own resources, and realizing she could expect little work in the cattle country while she remained as she was, she put on male attire, called herself James Brown, secured work and began riding the range. She kept at work and saved money, so that she paid her way while ill. She would not say last night whether she intended to return to cowboy life. It is thought she will for she said before leaving, with a pathetic air, "riding and cattle herding is all I know."

GOULD A BAD SHOT.

While Out Hunting He Shoots Attendant in Eye—Hurries Him to New York for Treatment.

RALEIGH, N. C., Nov. 16.—While George Gould was shooting birds near High Point, this state, today, he accidentally shot Edward Burns, an attendant, in the eye. A specialist of Greensboro says there is small chance of saving the eye. Mr. Gould at once sent Burns to New York, where eminent oculists will be told to spare nothing that science and skill can effect to save his sight.

Boy Badly Hurt by Car.

John Engelspiegle, aged 10, of Heidelberg, was riding on a wagon when a west bound car approached. The boy jumped off and ran around the rear of the wagon directly in front of the car. He was drawn under the wheels his right leg was cut off and the left one badly mangled. He was taken to the Mercy hospital.

REAL HUSBAND APPEARS AND LOVE'S DREAM IS O'ER

Illinois Groom of a Week Loses His Bride and Thinks He Is Lucky.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

HARRISBURG, ILL., Nov. 16.—By the appearance of her husband No. 1 in this city today Warner Farmer of this city lost his bride of only a week.

A few weeks ago a girl of 19 years, giving her name as Miss Marie Price, came to this city to visit friends. She became acquainted with Warner Farmer, a young man of this city. The two fell desperately in love and on last Tuesday, election day, they were married. They were as happy as could be until today when William H. Price, of Sturgiss, Ky., appeared on the scene. Learning that his wife had taken a second husband, he went to her home and demanded she return home with him, but this she refused to do, declaring she had ceased to love him.

Entreaties were without avail and finally Mr. Price decided to return without her. He refused to prosecute her but will secure a divorce as soon as possible. Mr. Farmer considers himself lucky as he is not legally married to the girl.

HARMSWORTHS WILL BUILD PULP MILLS IN CANADA

ST. JOHNS, N. F., Nov. 16.—Henry M. Whitney of Boston today transferred to Sir Alfred Harmsworth & Brothers, the London publishers, lumber areas in this island, on which the Harmsworths purpose to spend $2,000,000 next year in erecting pulp mills.

Balliett Pleads Guilty.

DES MOINES, IA., Nov. 16.—Letson Balliett, who gained wide notoriety two years ago as promoter of the White Swan Mining Company of Oregon, today suddenly terminated his second trial in the federal court for fraudulently using the mails by pleading guilty to the offense.

To Double-Track Siberian Road.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 16.—Three hundred engineers have already been dispatched by Prince Hilkoff, minister of railroads, for the preliminary work of double-tracking the Siberian railroad.

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THIEL COLLEGE TO MERGE WITH SEMINARY

Lutheran Institutions to Consolidate and to Locate at Greensburg—Big Bonus Raised.

Within a few days steps will be taken in court at Greensburg to merge Thiel college, now located in Greenville, and Greensburg seminary, both institutions of the English Lutheran church. This is expected to settle the financial trouble of Thiel college and also end the litigation brought in Greenville to prevent the removal of the college from that town. This announcement was made last night by a prominent Lutheran minister of Pittsburgh, who is closely identified with the affairs of both institutions.

Thiel college is an academical institution supported by the Lutheran church and Greensburg seminary is a theological training school of the denomination. Greensburg seminary is reported to be in a flourishing condition, but Thiel college has been in financial straits for some time. The sheriff levied upon the college property Tuesday to satisfy a debt of $960. It is claimed that Thiel college has not been prosperous because Greenville has not given it proper support and has not made good its promises when the college was located in that town about 1860.

It is stated that Greenville offered to give five acres of ground and a bonus of $20,000 if the college were located there, and that only $12,800 of this amount has been paid. It is also stated that two years ago, when one of the college buildings burned down, the town did not raise a dollar to rebuild it. The proposed removal of the college from Thiel has been obstructed by an injunction.

It is claimed, however, that matters have been so arranged that the removal can no longer be prevented. Greensburg has already raised $100,000 which it will donate to get Thiel college and the town will give about 40 acres of the seminary grounds. According to the plans, the college is to occupy the seminary building until new buildings for both institutions are erected.

ASSETS OF TRUST MAY BE ATTACHED

Shipyards Suit Decision in New York Is of Concern to Stockholders.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—A decision of extreme importance to persons who bought stocks of the shipyards trust and of other similar concerns in the open market was handed down by Judge Wallace in the United States circuit court today. Under this decision the assets of the shipyards trust, it is believed, will be attached in the hands of a receiver.

The question arose over the suit of Leopold Stern, who says he was induced to purchase 100 shares of the Kirby Lumber Company of Texas by R. C. Davidson and F. R. Pendleton, for which he paid $5,000. It was represented at the time, Mr. Stern alleged, that the company was making big profits. Mr. Stern sued for the return of his $5,000 and interest.

In his opinion Judge Wallace says, in speaking of the fact that the defendant had pleaded the appreciation of the value of the stock: "It may be that the plaintiff has made a profitable bargain, but if he has it is not for the defendant to assert that he must abide by it. The party who has been induced by fraud to become a subscriber of the shares of a corporation and to enter into any other contract which subjects him to future liabilities may, if he chooses, waive or condone the fraud, but it is also his right to have the contract annulled. In a court of equity it is the fraud but not the damages which would entitle him to relief."

British Naval Changes.

LONDON, Nov. 16.—The following naval appointments were officially announced today, to become effective in 1905: Vice Admiral Sir Arthur K. Wilson continues to command the home fleet; Vice Admiral Lord Charles Beresford, commanding the channel fleet, succeeds Admiral Sir Compton E. Domvile, in command of the Mediterranean fleet; Rear Admiral William Henry May, controller of the navy, succeeds Vice Admiral Beresford, in command of the channel fleet.

Mrs. Becker Is Sought.

A letter was received at the mayor's office yesterday from Attorney G. Saehse of Leipsic, Germany, asking for information of Mrs. Henriette Ernestine Becker, nee Schirmer, whose husband was Frederick Christian Gottlieb Becker of Pegau, Saxony. It was said she came to this city or vicinity in 1850. The letter asked if she were still alive.

RUSSIANS SINK THE RASTOROPNY

Blow Up Their Destroyer Lest It Meet Fate of the Ryeshitelni.

BROUGHT MESSAGE FOR CZAR

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

CHEFOO, Nov. 16.—The Russians this afternoon blew up their torpedo boat destroyer The Rastoropny, which entered this harbor yesterday, after escaping from Port Arthur with dispatches from Gen. Stoessel for the czar.

The Rastoropny carried sealed orders providing, unless there came a highly favorable opportunity to escape, the vessel should be blown up.

Custom Officer Koenling was on board the destroyer, and the Russians experienced considerable difficulty in getting him off without arousing his suspicions. The destroyer's cutter was lying near, and the official was persuaded to take a ride around the Rastoropny in order that he might see the injuries she was alleged to have received. No sooner had he stepped into the cutter than a petty officer drew his watch and urged the rowers to make all speed away.

The Japanese consul says that the Russians wasted their vessel, as the Ryeshitelnj incident would not have been repeated.

Commander Pelem of the Rastoropny said:

"I left Port Arthur at midnight in a blinding storm. The boat was navigated through all the dangers of floating mines without a mishap. On reaching the open sea we saw a Japanese cruiser and some torpedo boats in the distance, but we were steaming rapidly through the storm with lights extinguished, and passed them unnoticed.

The commander said the former Russian governor of Port Dalny, M. Sakharoff, died recently at Port Arthur of enteric fever.

The Rastoropny entered Chefoo with a music box playing, and the savory odor of a breakfast steak, apparently testifying to the fact that Port Arthur still enjoyed fresh meat. She anchored a few hundred yards abaft the United States cruiser New Orleans, flagship of Rear Admiral Folger, commander of the cruiser squadron of the Asiatic fleet. Capt. Ching of the Chinese cruiser Hai-Yung, boarded the destroyer with Ensign Wainwright, Rear Admiral Folger's aid, but they were not invited to enter the Rastoropny's cabin, although a blizzard was cutting their faces.

Capt. Ching notified Commander Pelem that 24 hours was the limit of the time he could remain armed at Chefoo. While this ultimatum was being given, the Russian sailors continued greasing the torpedo tubes, which were loaded. The Russian officers say the condition of Port Arthur is as good as it was two months ago. They deny the report that the Russian armored cruiser Bayan has been sunk. The overdrawn optimism of the officers, it was asserted ashore, made it obvious their story was rehearsed before it was given to the public. When the correspondents were allowed on board the Rastoropny, a quarter of beef was placed where it was impossible to miss seeing it, evidently to convey the impression that Port Arthur was snug and comfortable.

Two Japanese torpedoboat destroyers were seen at the mouth of the harbor tonight, and their presence undoubtedly precipitated the action of the Russians in blowing up the Rastoropny.

STOESSEL WILL FIGHT TO LAST EXTREMITY

Such Is Tenor of Message from Him to Czar, Conveyed by Destroyer Rastoropny.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 16.—Advices from Lieut.-Gen. Stoessel and Rear Admiral Wiren, brought by the Russian torpedo boat destroyer Rastoropny to Chefoo from Port Arthur, have reached the emperor, but have not yet been made public.

From a general who was with the emperor this afternoon and who knows the contents of Gen. Stoessel's message, it is learned all the talk about Gen. Stoessel asking for instructions to surrender, is false. The general said:

"Only when the last biscuit is eaten, and the last cartridge fired, will the garrison surrender the fortress. Gen. Stoessel knows the second Pacific squadron is on its way."

Train Cuts Boy's Leg Off.

Boyd Grew, aged 10, of Monessen, is at the McKeesport hospital, probably fatally injured. While returning home from school he stopped to play near the railroad track and was run down by a freight train. His right leg was amputated and he sustained other injuries.

New Lutheran Church Formed.

A meeting was held yesterday at the residence of James Morrison in Homestead at which the Messiah Lutheran church was formed. It has about 100 members and arrangements will be made shortly to secure a pastor.

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GETTING AWAY FROM THE ISSUE

Twenty-Second Ward Citizens Want to Divert Attention from Broken Pledges.

APOLOGY TO VITCHESTAIN

Twenty-second ward citizens are endeavoring to make the voters believe that the recent change in the rules of the Republican city committee is the real issue in the special councilmanic election to be held tomorrow. This attempt to throw sand has been a failure.

Frank P. Booth, the Republican nominee, is making an open fight for the seat in common council. Dr. J. O. Bockstoce is running as the candidate of the "Independent" party. This appelation is used because his Citizens backers know that it would mean certain defeat to present him as a candidate of a party that has been discredited. In the hope of blinding the electors of the Twenty-second ward, the title "Independent" has been dragged out of the political junk shop.

For the purpose of diverting attention from broken pledges, Vitchestain, Adler, the milk inspector; Mattern, the county delinquent tax collector, and other payroll men have been sent into the ward to endeavor to make the changing of the Republican rules the issue in the contest. They are characterized by J. Smiley Wightman, who, with City Treasurer John F. Steel, is trying to run the Bockstoce campaign from behind a screen, as "them independent fellers." The president of select compidins about being credited with having used such language. Some one might suggest that his political associates may be responsible for his carelessness in speech. Many of his constituents think that his associates have worked a change in him as a representative in councils. There was a time when he was supposed to have a backbone.

Rules Did Not Hurt Them.

The Citizens of the Twenty-second ward would have been eligible to have voted in the primaries. Last spring they supported John F. Steel as the Republican candidate for common councilman. Steel then said that he would not be a candidate unless he was nominated by the Republicans. He was given the nomination and secured the indorsement of the Citizens and Democrats. When elected, he allied himself with the Citizens and has been so engaged serves the administration that he assisted in preventing his ward from securing the fire protection which he had promised to work for. The two men being put forward by Steel and Wightman as the managers of the Bockstoce candidacy are William Hasley and Robert Loguay. They were active in the Republican primaries when Steel was nominated and Hagley was on the ticket with him.

E. P. Kearns was dragged out of political seclusion yesterday to file objections to the nomination of Booth on the Democratic ticket. It is charged that the nomination was not regularly made. There is to be a hearing today in common pleas court No. 1.

"Them Independent fellers" are objecting to the statement in yesterday's Gazette that Magistrate Vitchestain was one of the orators at the Twenty-second ward meeting Tuesday night. His defenders say that he did not "speak." If the paper said that he did "speak," the wrong word was used. Webster gives as a definition for this word, "to convey sentiments, ideas or intelligence."

Promises Are Troublesome.

Mayor Hays yesterday tried to help Steel and Wightman by giving out an interview in which he advocated the abolishment of party platforms. He says that a man will do better if he runs for office without having made any promises and then he cannot be called to account for his failure to redeem them.

Controller Larkin is also issuing statements. He announces that he has the promise of the Democratic leaders that they will nominate him, and he will cheerfully accept indorsements from any other party. He says that he still stands ready to redeem all of the reform pledges that his associates in the city administration have repudiated.

Representative Ward R. Bliss of Delaware was in the city yesterday. He says that there will be no opposition to the re-election of Harry F. Walton of Philadelphia as speaker of the house. Bliss expects that he will be reappointed chairman of the committee on appropriations. In his opinion the session of the legislature will be short and that there will be a small amount of important legislation.

Almost 70,000 Plurality.

The official count of the vote for president has been completed. Roosevelt's plurality in the county is 69,174, or almost 10,000 higher than the original estimate of Chairman Ford. The announcement of the big plurality was a pleasant surprise for him yesterday when he returned to the city from St. Louis, where he has been since the election. The vote in detail for Roosevelt and Parker is as follows:

	Roosevelt.	Parker.
Pittsburgh	88,726	19,871
Allegheny	13,588	2,784
McKeesport	3,905	2690
Boroughs	23,269	4,588
Townships	11,406	2,517
Totals	90,504	21,420

The other candidates for president received the following vote: Swallow, Prohibition, 2,216; Debs, Socialist, 3,468; Corrigan, Socialist-Labor, 616; Parker, Independence, 121; Watson, Populist, 2. This makes a total vote in the county of 118,437, as against 112,624 in 1900. Parker polled 5,891 less votes than Bryan did in 1900. Four years ago Debs had 1,187 votes in the county, and this year he added 2,281 to that poll. The majority of these votes are supposed to have come from the Democratic party. The Prohibition vote was increased 342 over four years ago.

BENEFACTOR IN LIFE REMEMBERED IN DEATH

The citizens of Munhall borough last evening held memorial services on the birthday of the late John Munhall a former benefactor of the poor of the vicinity. Addresses were made by the Rev. R. B. Wolf, a former pastor, and the Rev. H. D. Hynson, pastor of the Homestead Presbyterian church. Mr. Munhall presented the fine church that the Methodist Episcopal congregation now occupies, and remembered it by willing it $1,000, the interest of which is to be used annually for a Sunday school treat.

Prisoner Had Razor In His Shoe.

With a razor concealed in his shoe Michael Glasnic, a Croat, made what will probably be a successful attempt to commit suicide while locked up in the central police station at McKeesport. The prisoner had been committed to await a hearing on a charge of assault and battery. He was sent to the McKeesport hospital. While waiting for the ambulance he asked a friend for poison that he might finish himself. No cause is given for his act.

Father Takes Fatal Fever from Child.

Infected with scarlet fever caught from his child while bringing it from a steamer at New York to his home at Riverside Park, McKeesport, Charles F. Greengrass died yesterday. The child is recovering. The mother and child had been abroad and on their return were met at the dock by Greengrass. The steamer physicians had diagnosed the child's illness as stomach fever, but McKeesport doctors say it was scarlet fever.

Henry J. Ford Addressed Jewish Club.

"Life as Seen by a Journalist," was the topic of an address delivered by Henry J. Ford before the Current Topics class of the Reformed Congregation Rodeph Shalom in the Eighth street temple last night. The meeting was a public one and the attendance was quite large.

ATTEND the auction sale of the $3,500.00 screen, at 420 Wood street, at 2 p. m. today. Shimamura & Co.

Open Today.

C. A. Verner's new East End shoe store ready for business, 6204 Penn avenue, next door to Kuhn's.

Be Sure That Turkey

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$30.50	$42.50	$43.25	$21.50
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Here's a Handy Special:

A full sized **Slop Jar** with pail handle and lid, made of good porcelain, old ivory finish. We have a limited number—get one today (Thursday)..... **Only 45c** Regular price $1.10

Always your money back if not just as represented.

Also a few of the famous **Lisk Nickel Coffee Pots** on sale today for..... **50c**

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BUY MOTHER—Brass Bed, Sideboard, New Stove, China Closet, Dinner Set, Lamp, Morris Chair or Nice Rug.

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Our big New York shipment arrived this week—over thirty car loads of Holiday Furniture. Come any time and take a look. Take your Pick. We will pack, store and deliver any time before Christmas. Don't bother about money.

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AT THE STORE WITH A RECORD.

We make our carpets to fit. We positively are not—never was connected with any misfit carpet house—or any other furniture house. No branches for us. We are now—have been—will be at the corner of Tenth and Penn and no branch. Positively never had any agent going from house to house. Being the largest credit furniture house in the world it takes all our time right here. We say without egotism that we do more business than any two furniture stores in Pittsburgh. We know we have more working people, more wagons, more salesmen, more office help than any other two. Must be something doing to carry so many people.

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Fifth—Your credit is good.

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"Then all my days,
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Of brown, October ale!"
—Robin Hood.

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as in the days when Robin Hood and his doughty squire, Little John, made merry "under the greenwood tree."

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The shoe dealers of Allegheny, Pa., discontinued the giving of Trading Stamps and premiums on Nov. 15. They say they have had so many complaints from their customers about the small values of the premiums given by the Trading Stamp companies for the one and two books which they had saved by their perseverance. The dealers, having to take the blame for these small or almost worthless premiums, have decided to discontinue giving the stamp companies any more money, and in the future will not handle them. By this action the shoe dealers can and will be enabled to give their customers better goods at the regular prices, as those who handle stamps must make more profit on their goods in order to pay the Trading Stamp companies for stamps given to purchasers. Every thinking person knows that somebody pays for these stamps. Who pays for them? Surely not the dealers. So it must be customers who deal with those who give stamps. Patronize dealers who do not give stamps, as you will get better values at these stores than at stores where trading stamps are given. All the shoe dealers in Allegheny have discontinued giving trading stamps.

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Yesterday's Temperature—Max. 58; Min. 36. *Thursday, November 17, 1904.*

Furniture for the Library.

In no department of furniture-making has such progress been made in recent years as in the building of Library Furniture.

We show an extensive variety of Divans, Settles, Couches, Lounging Chairs, London Club Chairs, Turkish Chairs, Colonial Bookcases and Tables, French and English Ladies' Desks and Writing Tables, and a variety of odd pieces. Some are direct importations, others are built from the designs of the best artists, or are reproduced from noted antiques.

Library Chairs are priced from $5.00 to $40.00 for a Mahogany Desk Chair.

Divans, Settees, Couches, etc., range in price from $15.00 to $200.00.

Ladies' Desks in Mahogany, Circassian Walnut and Vernis-Martin, $12.50 to $350.00.

Leather, Tapestry and Velour Upholstered Turkish, English and American Lounging Chairs, vary in price from $20.00 to $150.00.

Bookcases in the various finishes of Oak, Mahogany, Old English Brown and Inlaid Woods, from $11.00 to $175.00.

$25.00 Shirvan and Daghestan Hearth Rugs, $13.50 Each.

These are genuine Oriental rugs, named from the districts where they were woven and are choice specimens of their kind. But there are other equally good offers to be taken advantage of in the Rug Department, fourth floor, East, today.

For instance—a choice lot of Mossoul and Kazak Oriental Rugs, extra large sizes, ranging from 3 feet 6 inches by 7 feet to 4 feet by 8 feet, suitable for halls. A splendid size to be used for a runner.

These are worth $25.00 to $50.00, but will sell today for $18.50, $20.00, $22.00, $26.00, $32.00 and $36.00, according to size.

One-piece Wilton Velvet Rugs, suitable for library, living room or dining room, 9 feet by 12 feet, $24.00.

$35.00 Wilton Rugs, 9 feet by 12 feet, will sell for $29.00.

$6 to $7 Trimmed Hats Today $3.50

$8.00 to $10.00 Trimmed Hats, $4.75.

These are sample hats, designed to sell for the prices first mentioned. We have exerted ourselves to obtain these extremely attractive hats in order that we might sell them for the above low prices. In shape they are the same as last week's showing, but you will see many variations in the favorite models, as over 300 new samples have been added.

There are velvet hand-made sailor styles, Toques, Turbans and Continental shapes, all designed with the best taste, thoroughly well finished and trimmed with Breasts, Pompons, Fancy Quills and other feather effects. They are duplicates of the choicest hats of the season and they in turn will be duplicated, being samples.

We ask you to see these today before the prettiest among them have been culled out.

Umbrellas as Gifts.

As a wedding present, a birthday gift or a holiday offering, nothing more appropriate than a practical umbrella. And it may be as handsome as you will.

We are showing some beautiful novelties in umbrella handles—our own importation—unique, original and exclusive ideas.

Combinations of gold and silver studded with real jewels—green, blue and red enamel handles set with seed pearls—novelty carved handles, such as birds and animal heads—tortoise shell and gold—pearl and gold—silver deposit on ivory—et nouveau handles—in silver gunmetal novelties inlaid—crystal handles, tinted or natural color.

No two exactly alike. All mounted on the best grade of tape edge taffeta silks. Selections made now will be delivered when specified.

1905 Imported Cottons.

Already we are showing a number of the engagingly pretty imported cottons that will be worn next summer. We mention three numbers today and two out of those three may be worn at present for evening gowns and dance frocks.

Genuine Irish Printed Dimity in floral patterns—suitable for fancy work and for children's dresses. Styles that will be worn next summer. 25c a yard.

Imported Tulles. We are showing a beautiful line of handsomely printed tulles in white and colored grounds, 30 inches wide, 75c a yard.

Panne Silk—a silk and cotton material, light in weight, soft and clinging in texture, a rich and lustrous crepe weave, in all colors and black, 45c a yard.

Lace Robes for Half Prices.

Today a limited number of lace robes of various kinds, which have been used for display purposes will be sold for just half of the original prices.

They are of the choicest patterns else they would not have been used for display, but are just a trifle mussed.

$10.00 robes will sell for $5.00.
$15.00 robes will sell for $7.50.
$18.00 robes will sell for $9.00.
$25.00 robes will sell for $12.50.

They are of Lierre Lace.

Anticipate Your Holiday Ribbon Wants.

Ribbons play an important part around the holidays. Hundreds of pretty gift articles are made of them—girdles, cushion covers, stocks, and many fancy articles. Today we are selling many different grades for a third less than regular prices.

6, 7 and 8-inch Warp Print, Dresden, Novelty and Fancy ribbons, 65c, 75c and $1.00 values, at, yard, 50c.

6-inch Mousseline Taffeta.....
8-inch French Taffeta.....
8-inch Satin Taffeta.....
5-inch Dresden Ribbon.....
5-inch Ombre ribbon.....
25c, 40c and 50c values..... } 25c the yard.

8½-inch plain Taffeta Ribbons, together with 8¾-inch double faced satin ribbon, black and all colors, worth 20 and 25c a yard, today, per yard.....15c

Ribbons for all sorts of art needlework, Nos. 1, 1½ and 2, worth 10c, 15c and 20c a bolt, special today for, per bolt..10c

Demonstration of the Potato Curler.

Today in the Basement Housefurnishing Department we will demonstrate the advantages of the Maynard Potato Curler. A little instrument by means of which one can prepare potatoes for cooking in a minute's times. Also much used to prepare garnishes for dishes.

At the Notion Counter Today

Little needfuls that mean much in the way of convenience that cost but little and yet are so often overlooked.

Primrose safety pins, black or white, assorted sizes, 4c a card.
Brass Pins, full count, 3c paper.
Pin Cubes, 160 count—jet, white or assorted colors, 5c cube.
Fancy collar foundations, ready to wear, any color, 12c each.
Fancy garter web, 25c value, 10c for the length.

Complete Pillow Outfit, 40c.

Consisting of pillow top, stamped and tinted, back and material to finish same—in red or green.

Ruffled Dresser Sets, of batiste, organdy in floral designs, or polka dot swisses—linings of pink, blue, yellow or green—trimmed with lace and ribbon, 65c, 75c and 85c values, for 50c each.

Fancy Pin Cushions—10 inches long—made of net, lace and ribbon and trimmed in black, blue and yellow, regular price 75c, for 50c.

Seasonable Apparel for Skating.

When you skate outdoors, which in all likelihood will be very shortly, the right kind of clothing will make you careless of winter's sharpest blasts. Golf Vests are much used for skating, and, by the way, these are also affected for indoor skating. Furs play a most important part and in fact nowhere do they look quite so appropriate as on the ice.

Golf Vests and Blouses—

Worsted Vests in plain colors, red, white navy, single-breasted—75c.
Vests in honeycomb weave, double-breasted—red, navy, black and white, $1.50.
Vests of fancy zig-zag pattern wool—double-breasted, all white, all black and black and white mixtures, $2.00.
Vests of fancy striped wool, red and white, $3.00.
Vests of plain or fancy stitch knitted wool, $5.00.
Wool Blouses, shell pattern, high collar, navy blue, $2.00.
Wool Blouses, high or low neck, full sleeves, red, white, gray, $2.25.
Wool blouses in fancy combination colors, black and red, black and white, $3.00.
Blouses of fancy stitch worsted, very fine, low collar, full sleeve—red, white, black, $3.50.
Blouses in plain and fancy combinations, high or low collar, $4.50 to $5.00.
Norfolk Jackets, low collar, full sleeve, red and white, $5.00 and $10.00.

Fur Coats and Small Furs—

Speaking of fur coats in general, we have those of Persian Lamb, both plain and trimmed, ranging in price from $115.00 to $550.00; Alaska Seal Coats ranging in price from $250.00 to $450.00; Nearseal Coats at $45.00, $55.00, $65.00.

Very neat Ties of squirrel, Four-in-Hand effects, $5.00.
Sable and Isabella Fox Scarfs, long brush tails, $7.50; an extra fine grade of these scarfs at $12.00.
Fancy collars of squirrel, $10.00.
Flat sable Fox Stoles, large brush tails, lined with squirrel, $18.00.
Baum Marten Scarfs, two skins used in the making, $25.00.
Squirrel Sets—Fancy collars made with triple stoles, stoles trimmed with silk ornaments, the entire scarf lined with satin, large shell-shaped muff, worth at least $45.00, our price $30.00.

Wool Waists—

Waists of French Flannel, a great range of solid colors, yoke of fine tucks, double box pleat down center, pleated back, new sleeves, deep tucked cuff, tucked stock, finished with small pearl buttons, $2.50.
Waists of mohair in large assortment, solid colors—brown, navy, black, white, plain and embroidered, $2.25 to $5.00.
Waists of Challis, white with small colored figures, white with red, blue or black, made full tucked front, plain back, $4.00.
Waists of Scotch flannel, striped designs, tucked front, French back, new sleeves, something very fine, $6.00, $7.00 and $8.50.

Take Care of Your Eyes.

If you abuse your eyes they will retaliate very quickly. If you treat them justly they will repay you amply. If you need glasses be sure and get them at once. If you are wearing glasses that don't suit your eyes, you are doing yourself an irreparable injury.

Examination by one of our skilled opticians will cost you nothing and will put your mind at rest on this score.

Regular $7.00, heavy gold glasses, with best quality of lenses, $4.50.
Regular $1.50 Eyeglass Chains, 75c.

Three Novelties in Trimmings.

There is always something new at the trimming counter. This morning we call attention to the following novelties:

NEW COAT GIRDLES—black and white, made of the Silk Ribbon Cord with pendants, $4.50.
NEW CHIFFON ROSE TRIMMING, in pink and light blue, a most effective ornamentation for evening gowns, $4.50 and $6.00 per yard.
FANCY LEATHER TRIMMING in mixed colorings, tan and brown, for trimming cloth gowns, 75c and $1.00 per yard.

We might write a column without making their beauty clear to you, whereas the briefest inspection will arouse your instant admiration.

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Chestnut street, Bennett station, W. P. or P. & W. R. R.; Etna, Sharpsburg, W. P. or P. & W.; Aspinwall, Claremont, Powers Run, Springdale, Hite, Tarentum, Natrona, Glenshaw, Aminwild, Bellevile, Emsworth, Sewickley, Quaker Valley, Leetsdale, Fair Oaks, Crafton, Carnegie, Woodville, Bridgeville, Beading, Oakdale, Noblestown, McDonald, Burgettstown, Castle Shannon, Dravosburg, McKeesport, B. & O. or P. R. R., Riverton, Boston, Elizabeth, Wildwood, Sandy Creek, Verona, Wilkinsburg and East Pittsburgh.

The county commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all bids. Successful bidder to give bond in amount of bid for faithful performance of contract.

R. J. CUNNINGHAM,
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Anyone unable to purchase a copy of The Pittsburgh Gazette on trains or at news stands will confer a favor by reporting the same to this office.

Thursday, November 17, 1904.

Braddock's burgess and the police force have resolved to rid that community of the burglars who have been operating extensively there for some days. No doubt a determined effort will have the desired result—the burglars will be captured or compelled to seek safer fields of operation. The same is true of other towns and cities. Burglars do not linger long where the forces of the law are alert, active, determined and honest. They find easier picking where officers are complaisant and administrations indifferent or corrupt.

Proposals for the sale of sites for the new High school are in. A casual glance at the list indicates a wide range of eligible properties to choose from. With two exceptions all are cheaper than the site previously chosen, the purchase of which has been prevented, though none of them contain quite as much land. Quality in this case, however, is quite as important as quantity. Any one of the plots offered is large enough to accommodate a High school building, where the need of playgrounds is less than at the district schools. The prime considerations should be good location and convenience of access. One carfare is quite enough for a pupil to pay and ease of approach is of importance. Central location may enable many to attend without the payment of any carfares. The committee will begin inspection today and the best is hoped for.

An attempt is being made in Fall River to open the 71 mills which were closed 16 weeks ago on account of the refusal of the operatives to accept a reduction of 12½ per cent in their wages. It is predicted that the attempt will prove a failure, for the operatives seem determined not to give in. Many of them have left town and there is consequent stagnation in business. The manufacturers say that the condition of the market does not warrant them in reopening the mills, but that they did so on account of the reports of suffering among their former operatives. The strike in these mills is one of the causes that contributed to the rally of the labor vote in favor of the Democratic candidate for governor of Massachusetts. In the meantime the mill owners must realize that every interruption to their business helps the growing industry of cotton manufacturing in the south. Cotton is produced there and people can well understand how natural it is for factories to follow the source of their supply.

It is a safe inference that the torpedo boat destroyer Rastoropny must have been the bearer of specially important messages, when it ran the gauntlet to reach the nearest port, to be blown up there by her own captain after performing his mission. The rumor is antecedently probable that the messages laid the situation at Port Arthur before the czar and asked instructions whether the struggle shall be continued any longer. The success of the Japanese in forcing their way into positions upon the eastern ridge of hills overlooking Port Arthur dooms the city and harbor. The vessels in the harbor have no place of refuge left, and the only question that remains open is whether the garrison shall continue their resistance from the remaining forts when no longer able to afford any protection to the city or harbor. Gen. Stoessel's heroic defense has established his fame for all time to come, but there is a limit to all things, and the continuance of the struggle now that it can no longer show a practical object to gain is not war but murder.

The dispatch of Admiral Uriu with a squadron of armored cruisers and torpedo boats to look after the Baltic fleet makes it very probable that that fleet will have something more formidable than fishing smacks to fight before reaching the far east. Admiral Uriu's squadron is small compared with the Russian fleet, but it has doubtless been carefully selected for the work it has to do. The Japanese navy is so weak in vessels that commanding officers are evidently under strict instructions to fight their ships in such a way as to take the least risk of loss. In the attacks upon Port Arthur the Japanese torpedo boats have rushed into close action, for there was no other way of accomplishing their objects, but the cruisers and battleships have been fought at long range whenever possible. In the sea fights which drove the Russian fleet back to Port Arthur and crippled the Vladivostock squadron the Japanese vessels kept off to a distance of several miles and won victory by the extreme accuracy and rapidity of their fire. Admiral Uriu's little squadron will doubtless pursue the same tactics, and the expectation in Japan is that before the Russian fleet reaches the Gulf of Aden it will become a target for his gunners.

Discrimination in freight rates is a feature of transportation that keeps the trusts alive, and in prosecuting such illegal combination the interstate commerce commission will do much to discourage the formation of these gigantic organizations. An important decision has been recently rendered by this board, which has declared that the switching charges of several roads entering Chicago are a violation of law, and has reported the case to the department of justice for prosecution. It seems that these lines are owned by several trusts and the unreasonably excessive income goes into the treasury of the combinations. As freight rates have gone down these switching charges have been increased until they have quadrupled the prices for handling certain classes of goods. It is under the president's determination to give every man a square deal that the interstate commission is rebuking this method of unfairness.

The Memorial Hall.

The reference made yesterday to the memorial hall project has had a good effect in eliciting the admirable communication from Maj. Burchfield, which we publish this morning elsewhere on this page. We approve most heartily of the objects of the movement as set forth in the communication and will be glad to extend to it our support. Our criticism relates not to the purpose but to the method, and upon that point some assurance would be desirable. Is it not a fact that the preparation of the plans and the expenditure of the money are to be in the hands of a few persons whose taste in such matters is exemplified by their proposal to give Mr. Osterling a commission to deform the court house? We gather from the proceedings that it is in contemplation to give the same favored architect the job of designing the proposed memorial hall. That is not the way in which a satisfactory structure will be assured. The design should not be merely the best the county architect can do, but the best the talent of the whole country can offer. We shall be glad to receive expressions of opinion upon this question of procedure.

That Same Old Coon.

President Roosevelt objects to receiving presents as a rule and declines them when they are of any value, but he has just received one so appropriate and suggestive that he made a joyful exception in its favor. Samuel D. Fluck, a Bedford county farmer, last Saturday captured a fine coon, the famous political emblem of The Gazette. Mr. Fluck rightly believed that that coon had come to hand just in time to be an appropriate election memento for President Roosevelt, so he sent the coon with his compliments. The president in reply has sent his thanks through Secretary Loeb, declaring that every effort would be made to keep that coon to celebrate Republican victory in 1908.

The sharp-eyed visage and the wise and humorous expression of the coon first made its appearance in the political symbolism of the American people in 1840 in connection with the Whig landslide of that year. It has ever since been perpetuated by The Gazette, which is older than the nation itself and which participated in the organization of the Republican party. The use of the elephant as the emblem of the national party was invented by Thomas Nast, and has come into use only within the last 35 years. It typifies quite well the mingling of strength and sagacity in the Republican party just as the Democratic mule is an appropriate symbol for certain fixed qualities of Democratic party management, but as the particular symbol of the shrewd, alert, imperturbable, resourceful spirit of western Republicanism the coon stands without a rival. In victory or defeat, whether things are going his way or against him, he always comes out on top, that same old coon, infract and infrangible. And the coon is identified with The Pittsburgh Gazette, now and forever, one and inseparable.

Twenty-Second Ward Election.

There will be an election in the Twenty-second ward tomorrow for common council to fill the vacancy caused by the appointment of John F. Steel as city treasurer. The expense of this special election is imposed upon the people because the administration forces thought they would have less chance to win if the voting had been done at the general election 10 days ago.

Every friend of good government in the Twenty-second ward will vote for Frank P. Booth, the Republican candidate. Mr. Booth is a young man of good character and attainments. He is a son of the former director of the department of public charities, George Booth. His opponent, Dr. J. O. Bockstoce, is personally of good repute, but if elected would be exposed to the influences which prevail in the Citizens party. He would owe his election to the leaders of that party of broken pledges and could not be expected to oppose their schemes. This fact has been illustrated in the cases of other reputable gentlemen elected on that ticket.

There is but one way to avoid indorsement of the Citizens party's violation of its pledges; its grant of free franchises to the greedy syndicates; its failure to impose any share of the burden of supporting government upon the beneficiaries of such grants, and that way is to elect the Republican candidate. A vote for Bockstoce is a vote for the jobbing machine at City hall. A vote for Booth is an indorsement of the minority which stood so sturdily against the recent corporate deal which denied compensation for valuable privileges, to the extent of removing a voluntary offer of gross receipts from the ordinance. Vote for Booth.

The Irrigation Congress.

In his greeting to the twelfth national irrigation congress, which met at El Paso, Texas, Tuesday, President Roosevelt declared the reclamation of arid lands to be "one of the means for national expansion which is most effective." It is well known that the president is one of the most earnest advocates of laws which will tend to the improvement of these waste lands and that he has been watching the enforcement of the acts of 1902, which provide aid to the settler who occupies and improves such territory. In addition to the letters from President Roosevelt, President Diaz of Mexico sent a message of sympathy with the objects of the congress and arranged to have that republic represented at the gathering.

Some idea of the plans for irrigation can be gained by the fact that there are over 50,000,000 acres capable of improvement by such systems in this country and that they can be made to support 25,000,000 people. This work is being prosecuted in 13 states and 3 territories with the active co-operation of the government officials. Although some of the irrigation plants have been undertaken by capitalists on a large scale, the congress has attempted to encourage the extension of the industry in a small way by occupants of the land, and it has succeeded in preventing the accumulation of tracts by wealthy owners, a custom which was prevalent some years ago in evasion of the laws.

In connection with the irrigation reports at the congress there will be discussions on the allied subject of forestry, which is attracting considerable attention just now. There will be need for all the agitation that such societies can create to combat the tendency of lumbering interests to destroy our forests regardless of the need of the future or consideration for the value of trees for the protection of the soil. If some provision is not made for the future there will surely be a scarcity of lumber which cannot be made up until a fresh growth can be cultivated.

Coming Events Cast Shadows Before.

Discussion of the possibility of reciprocity negotiations does not rest merely upon conjecture. There are some positive facts to guide opinion. Foremost of these is the declaration made by Attorney General Moody to the Massachusetts Republican convention, October 7. Mr. Moody was chairman of the convention, and in his address he said:

"We have made a treaty with Cuba which has proved an advantage to both countries and has sacrificed no American interest. May we not hope to do the same with our northern neighbor? I think I may safely assure you that in the near future this government will again invite Canada to consider in a friendly spirit our trade relations. It is not for me to speak in detail of the concessions which each can properly make to the other. Such considerations arise only at a later stage of the proceedings."

In view of the fact that Mr. Moody is a member of President Roosevelt's administration, he certainly should be in a position to know whereof he spoke, and unless there has been a change of intention since there will be something doing in the way of reciprocity negotiations.

As regards the attitude of Canada, we have for our information the fact that Premier Laurier in the recent political canvass declared that if returned to power he would cause a full investigation to be made into the industrial and agricultural conditions of the country preparatory to a revision of the tariff. He went on to say:

"When we have investigated the conditions under which revision must take place, we have determined also to make an absolute departure from our system which we have followed up to the present time. At present we have only one class of duties, a revenue tariff, chiefly a tariff from customs duties. But in the next revision of the tariff we shall depart from this condition and have a double tariff—a minimum tariff and a maximum tariff—a minimum tariff for those countries which are ready to treat us with generosity, and a higher and stiffer tariff for those countries which will not have with us fair trade relations. We want to have a higher tariff, in order to apply to other countries who want to send their goods to us, but not buy from us the same degree and measure of treatment which they give us."

Premier Laurier won a sweeping victory in the elections and resumes office with a much bigger majority in the Dominion parliament than he had before. No doubt is entertained in Canada that he will proceed to put through his program of tariff revision. In that connection an active discussion is going on as to commercial relations with the United States. The Conservative party, which constitutes the parliamentary opposition but which met with a Waterloo in the elections, is already deploring the possibility that Mr. Chamberlain's imperial reciprocity campaign in England may be queered by Premier Laurier's dealings with the United States. In a recent article on this phase of the subject the Toronto World says:

"There is one aspect of the situation which is of vital importance to Canada and the mother country. President Roosevelt is definitely committed to the opening up of reciprocal trade relations with Canada. Reciprocity proposals will be made in due course. While England is hesitating to accept imperial preferential trade the Washington government will be making tempting offers of reciprocity to Canada. Canada will be placed in the position of playing one suitor against the other, a condition which never would have been created if Great Britain had grappled promptly and decisively with Mr. Chamberlain's scheme of imperial preferential trade."

Consideration of these facts indicate that those who anticipate that the question of Canadian reciprocity is becoming a practical issue have much to go upon. And those of us who are opposed to Canadian reciprocity must recognize the fact that the subject is up for consideration.

More people than residents of the Thirty-seventh ward and Pennsylvania railroad officials are interested in the judicial determination of the rights of a railroad to discontinue service, involved in the Brushton case.

Gen. Stoessel in hospital calls upon his troops not to surrender, we are told. Very heroic, to be sure, and very hard on the soldiers in and out of the hospitals.

A vote for the Citizens party candidate in the Twenty-second ward is a vote for all that is objectionable in the present control of the city's affairs.

Alarm is felt in Colorado over the political situation and not without reason. The lawless elements in that state are strong and to be feared.

The Liberty bell has started home from St. Louis, to revive the old, old story of sweet freedom along the route.

Prince Fushimi is in Washington without creating any disturbance, or endangering the fishing industry.

Franklin P. Booth is the Republican candidate, the party of genuine reform in city, state and nation.

Apparently the Russians take some pleasure in destroying their own vessels to save Japan the trouble.

Bockstoce stands for free franchises and Verner syndicates.

More summer. Who cares whether it is Indian or Chinese?

Graft in Alaska is calculated to make Allegheny envious.

High school site is to be played over again.

Talked of in Gotham

By FRANK A. PARKER.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—On the edge of Old Greenwich village and within a stone's throw of the Minetta lane district, Robert Hunter and his wife, the daughter of Anson Phelps Stokes, with their 5-months'-old child, have taken up their residence. Their new home is at No. 88 Grove street, a modest two-story brick building which Mr. Hunter says is more than 60 years old. Their object in living there is two fold—to continue the settlement to which both husband and wife have devoted themselves and because, Mr. Hunter declares, a home there costs no more than an apartment in a more pretentious district. It is more comfortable as a home, he says, and less noisy. Mr. Hunter is enthusiastic over his new residence, but regrets the notoriety which the discovery of his humble home has given him and his wife.

"I cannot understand," he said, "why the people of a supposedly democratic country, where there are supposed to be no classes, should be so excited over our moving here. This place is no part of the slums, and settlement work is never done in the slums. Settlement work is conducted among working people who have respect for themselves and wish to improve. There are a number of settlement people already in this district. The modern tendency of the American people is to live as near Fifth avenue as possible. The nearer they can get the happier they are. I would rather live over here than in Fifth avenue, because there is more room and the people are more wholesouled."

Waging War on Pneumonia.

Plans for carrying on the work of the special commission recently appointed by the board of health to investigate causes of pneumonia and ascertain, if possible, some way of curbing the disease have been made on a gigantic scale, according to Dr. Herman M. Biggs, chief medical officer of the department. Work is already under way, and the first report of the commission is expected next May. Thirty hospitals in various large cities in every section of the country have promised their active co-operation. The laboratory work will be carried on in Boston, Philadelphia, Saranac Lake and at three laboratories in this city. Twenty thousand cases will be studied in a period of six months which began November 1.

The "clearing house" or central laboratory of the investigation will be at the headquarters of the department of health where Commissioner Darlington and Dr. Biggs have their offices. All cases isolated by the physicians working under the commission will be sent to this central laboratory, which is in the direct charge of Dr. William H. Park. There they will be investigated or compared for identification or further classification.

Will Tell All He Knows.

As soon as District Attorney Jerome resumes his legal inquiry into the affairs of the Canfield establishment, Jesse Lewisohn, the broker, will be ready to give him all the information in his possession regarding the operation of the resort and its patrons. This is according to a statement issued by Lewisohn's attorney today. The latter declared his client had merely sought immunity from the courts if compelled to testify, and now that it is certain that such immunity can be secured, he is perfectly willing to tell all he knows concerning the Canfield place.

Mountain Climber Home.

Miss Annie S. Peck, the American mountain climber, arrived today on the steamer Advance from Colon. Miss Peck, who left New York last June has been in Peru, where she succeeded in ascending Huascan mountain to a height of 21,000 feet. Immense crevasses prevented her reaching the summit.

Judge Parker Opens His Office.

Ex-Judge Alton B. Parker, recent Democratic candidate for president, opened a law office in the building at No. 32 Liberty street, in this city today. While he announced he would not form any law partnership, his new office is in the suite occupied by W. F. Sheehan of the firm of Sheehan & Collin.

Pittsburghers in New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels today:

Waldorf-Astoria.
B. D. Overholt,
C. Overholt,
A. C. Overholt,
Mrs. A. C. Overholt,
C. P. Byrnes,
Mrs. Byrnes,
J. Jones,
T. J. Hamilton,
R. E. Miles,
C. C. Keep,
L. S. Shields.

St. Regis.
Mrs. H. W. Oliver,
H. R. Ray,
W. Flynn,
J. M. Hays.

Holland.
J. H. Park,
Mrs. Park,
E. H. Utley,
C. E. Clapp,
Mrs. Clapp,
D. F. Crawford,
Mrs. Crawford,
D. Shaw,
Mrs. Shaw.

Imperial.
Mrs. J. G. Hobbeimer,
Mrs. S. E. Danbury,
S. Van Dusen,
G. W. Burke,
G. E. Harper,
Mrs. Harper.

Union Square.
V. E. Arnold.

Westminster.
J. F. Haney.

Manhattan.
H. A. Carpenter,
H. B. Hayes,
Mrs. H. B. Hayes,

Grand.
J. A. Arnold,
D. F. Hadley.

Fifth Avenue.
N. J. Gillespie,
W. M. Kennedy,
Mrs. W. M. Kennedy,
Mrs. C. F. Patterson,
J. S. Craig.

Breslin.
C. G. Paul.

Plaza.
W. Boswell,
S. A. Benner.

York.
W. B. Wolfe.

Astor.
W. J. Chase.

Ashland.
J. C. Lawler,
Mrs. Lawler.

Broadway Central.
J. K. Smith.

Herald Square.
R. Gibson.

Gregorian.
C. A. Wolfe,
Mrs. Wolfe.

Hotel Astor.
Mrs. F. J. Lydon.

"Charlotte Temple's" Grave.

To the Editor of The Gazette:

Sir—Your correspondent of a late date inquires why the record of Charlotte Temple is not contained in the book concerning the graveyards of New York. Charlotte Temple never existed, being the heroine of a novel by that name, written by Mrs. Rowson in 1790. A workman carved the name on a slab of stone which laid on the grass and in time it came to be regarded as a real tombstone. The graveyards of Old Trinity and St. Paul are of deepest interest to visitors of New York and on a recent visit to Pittsburgh's Old Trinity, I was shocked and astonished at the condition of a spot which should be kept as a valued relic of the past and a source of pride to the city as it would be of interest to visitors. It seemed actually sacrilege for the "small boy" to play ball on the graves of Felix Brunot's ancestors. It was given for a churchyard and it is not right to use it as a playground. The dead care not, but the living should. There was an old Indian chief buried there, with an interesting inscription.

The Daughters of the Revolution have marked one hero's grave, but there were soldiers of the war of 1812 and the Mexican war, and the founders of many of Pittsburgh's first families rest there. It used to be a lovely spot, a quiet refuge from the busy world, with the beautiful trees casting their shadows on the grassy graves, and seemed a "spot apart and near to heaven" when at summer vespers, through the open casement floated the dear old hymn:

"Softly now the light of day
Fades upon my sight away."

The congregation or its descendants are to be found in the church farther out and perhaps it would cost more than the present congregation can afford to keep it up, but why could not the state or the city help for, sentiment surely is not wanting? Pittsburgh as a business city has grown marvelously—a continuous workshop clear to McKeesport; but its beautiful and stately homes surrounded by lovely lawns with handsome shrubbery and wondrous beds of flowers attest an appreciation of the artistic and the beautiful to which the preservation of the old churchyard would surely appeal.

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Colfax, Cal.

A Just Missouri Judge.

The late Judge J. G. Mohler of Salina many years ago had been one of a party who had been indulging in a few jackpots, and as his co-workers of the kitty lined up and pleaded guilty of gambling he passed sentence upon them. After the last man had been taken down the line Judge Mohler solemnly arraigned himself and entered a plea of guilty. Turning to the clerk, he said: "Mr. Clark, enter the same fine and costs against J. G. Mohler, and let him stand committed until the fine and costs are paid." And he immediately handed to the clerk the amount of the fine and costs, and as he walked down from the bench he remarked to one of his victims: "Bill, that was your money I paid that with."—Kansas City Star.

The Quiet Observer.

By ERASMUS WILSON.

If men who work are more useful to society and more to be respected than those who do not, why is not the woman who works as respectable as the one who does not?

This is one of the problems of the day, and one that is being forced upon the attention of the world.

When we say of a young man that he does not work, at least not at anything worth while, it is about the same as saying that he is of no account.

But the young woman of the day who has nothing to do, and who does nothing, is thought to be specially blessed.

Are young men and young women so very different as all this suggests?

Possibly they are in the eyes of society, so-called, but not in the eyes of the thoughtful sociologist, nor in the sight of heaven.

Idleness is conceded by all to be the ruination of young men, for no man can live a useful life and not work at something useful.

Where do you get your authority for saying that young women can live in idleness without becoming worthless?

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My dear young lady must not soil her pretty hands, nor smirch her pretty gowns, nor cause her pretty brow to perspire, if she would be respectable in the eyes of society.

No greater mistake was ever made by any mother than to allow her daughter to think that she is too pretty and too dainty to do a fair share of the work necessary to keep the home tidy and respectable.

The higher and more sacred laws of life demand industry upon the part of every creature that lives and thrives, even from the lowest to the highest, and the pretty daughters of rich parents are no exception to the rule.

Those who choose to make themselves exceptions must abide the consequences, and they are most severe, leading to physical and moral degeneration, and that with scarcely an exception.

Where is it we look for our strong men? Is it to the sons of the rich who don't have to work?

The history of this country shows that Theodore Roosevelt is the only president who was born in a city, the others all coming from country districts. Although born in a great city he has the feelings of country men, and he was in heart a country boy.

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Were the mothers of presidents, and of governors, and of statesmen, and generals, and of men who have made history, raised in affluence and idleness?

They were working women, homekeepers and housekeepers. There was not a detail concerning their homes with which they were not familiar, and concerning which they had been taught by their mothers in a most practical way.

And yet we find mothers who profess to have the welfare of their daughters at heart who think it a kindness to allow them to loaf and loiter around and do nothing that will tend to fit them to become good practical wives.

We even find mothers who have worked all their lives still toiling and working when they should be resting, in order that their daughters may play the fine lady instead of the useful woman.

Housekeeping has become a disgraceful occupation for young women.

Is it any more disgraceful to prepare and serve a meal than it is to eat it?

It used to be thought a great credit to a girl to be able to cook and serve a good dinner, and many a noble woman has baked her own wedding cake, and her husband thought all the more of her because she did.

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It is nothing to the discredit of any girl that she goes out to work, but it would be more to the credit of some were they to remain at home and help with the housework instead of helping to pay a servant.

Housework is easy compared with the work required in stores, offices and shops; besides it fits girls to become helpful wives, and to make home cheerful and enjoyable for husband, children and friends.

What does the finishing school add to the cheerfulness and usefulness of a home? Music is all right in its place, but it will not take the place of good management in a home.

Nor will French and Spanish take the place of plain English in the education and training of children. Nor will rhetoric and mathematics take the place of common sense.

The fact of the matter is that we are face to face with a most grave and threatening proposition, and one that will insist upon an answer, and if the worst comes to the worst will compel an answer.

Shall the young woman, as well as the young man, be taught and trained to work, and to work well? This is about the substance of the proposition that confronts us.

What say you, my dear girl?

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Mr. Quiet Observer:—Am quite a reader of The sGzette, particularly the Quiet Observer's column, and enjoy it to its full extent.

Now this "W. J. H.," whoever he might be, must have odd opinions of telephone girls or he would not ask such a silly question.

To think that a telephone operator could not be as good as any other girl in a different capacity, such as stenographer, bookkeeper or any other position a girl might engage herself in.

I am sure one of the sweetest and prettiest girls I know, one whom I number amongst my numerous friends, is a telephone operator for the past three or four years.

She has a most amiable disposition and is a perfect lady in all other respects, and would make a good wife—for the right man—as you say.

By the way, I have quite a good deal of business over the telephone and have always found the operators good, honest girls in their dealings.

I sincerely hope this "W. J. H." will change his opinions, if they are not of the best, and if he could meet my little friend it might be some inducement. For my part I think if I were choosing a wife I would not look at the position she held so much as at the kind of a girl she is, as long as she makes a good wife.

Hoping I have not taken too much of your valuable time and space, I will close my long epistle waiting to see more on this subject in your valued column.

A CONSTANT READER.

Answers to Correspondents.

I. H., Allegheny—While no specific reasons have been given, it is generally understood that the office holders oppose the movement because they would lose their positions and their political power would be gone.

C. E. Miller, Butler—Great Britain has the most powerful navy, France ranks second, the United States third and Germany fourth. Russia held the fourth place a year ago, but it is impossible to tell where she stands today, as it is not known just how many of her ships are injured and to what extent they have been damaged. In the battle of Santiago Spain lost four armored cruisers and two torpedo boats.

C. H. A., No. 4506 Center avenue—To learn the results of the New York state election by counties you will have to write to the secretary of that state at Albany.

Use for Automobiles.

James H. Byerly, carrier on one of the rural mail routes from Sharpesville, made his trip last Thursday in an automobile, covering the route, which is almost 25 miles long, in less than three hours.—Mercer Dispatch and Republican.

They Didn't Scare.

Roosevelt may be "unsafe," but the indications are that the American people are not afraid.—Oil City Blizzard.

IT IS TO SMILE.

Farmer Whiffletree—Bill Perkins' son Dan has got a political job.

Farmer Medders—Gosh! I allers said that feller'd grow up ter be a loafer!—Puck.

Goldbugge—Have you any gilt-edged railroa stocks among your investments?

Copperbugge—No, but I've got a few all-gault copper stocks.—Town Topics.

By common consent the new battleship New Jersey will be assigned to the Mosquito fleet.—Chicago Tribune.

Chauffeur—Is there an ordinance limiting the speed of autos in this town?

Native—No; they can't get through too quickly to suit us.—Brooklyn Life.

Mrs. Browne—There seems to be considerable scarlet fever in your neighborhood.

Mrs. Malaprop—Yes indeed. It looks very much like an epidermis.—Philadelphia Press.

For a Memorial Hall

By Maj. A. P. Burchfield.

To the Editor of The Gazette:

Sir—There appeared in The Gazette of yesterday an editorial under the heading of "Memorial Hall," which evidently was written by someone not acquainted with the purposes of the soldiers and sailors of Allegheny county in their efforts to obtain this building. The law under which they are proceeding, and the purpose which instigates them, is not for the construction of a building which shall be exclusively adapted to their wants and their accommodation, to the exclusion of all other public exercises or uses, but for the erection of a memorial hall in memory of the soldiers and sailors from Allegheny county in the war of the rebellion.

Halls in Pittsburgh are not so numerous as to regard the erection of one an unnecessary expenditure. This building or hall, if erected in the central part of the city where it is accessible for all public meetings, may be used for other purposes than the meetings of soldiers, and the city of Pittsburgh could well afford to donate land for this purpose, and the cost of its construction and maintenance would not be a useless or unnecessary expenditure.

Various counties of this state have erected monuments in memory of their soldiers and sailors under the provisions of this law. A building is a monument just as much as a stone or a shaft, or a marble shaft, and the object of the soldiers and sailors of Allegheny county is to erect something useful and beneficial to the whole public, and all they expect to get out of it is its dedication to their memory and the privilege to use it in common with the public for the few short years that shall remain to them, and a right to keep in this building and preserve for the education of the young men that are to follow them, the trophies and relics which they through long years have collected from the numerous battle fields and that were cherished by the regiments during the great struggle which so fortunately terminated. These trophies and relics are now in the various post rooms of this county, and are regarded with great sanctity and reverence by the members of the posts. Many of them are of great historical value and should be accessible to the public and preserved.

We also notice in this connection an interview of Director Bigelow in which he advocates the erection of a memorial monument instead of a memorial hall. This is a matter which has been considered in every one of the 30 posts in Allegheny county, and their unanimous choice is a memorial hall. While it is true that the soot and smoke in Pittsburgh might to some extent disfigure the outside of a hall, what about the monument which Director Bigelow advocates? Is it not a fact that the same things would obliterate the lettering, the names and inscriptions on a monument with much more disastrous effect? Time and chemical things would to a certain extent disfigure the outside of a hall, but our purpose is not a hall for the exclusive use of the soldiers and sailors of the war of the rebellion, but a hall that shall stand as a monument in their memory, and at the same time be adapted to all public uses with an auditorium of sufficient capacity to accommodate any public meeting that might be desired, and in such proportions and with such conveniences as to be useful for all public purposes. This port of a building would survive the last survivor of the war, and remain a benefit to the public and useful to them upon all occasions, and at the same time carry out our purpose, which is simply to preserve the memory of the soldiers and sailors of that war. If this hall, in the rotunda, has suitable inscriptions and tablets with the names of the men who served in the war from this county in the army and the navy, it will not in any way belittle the value of the building or in any way make it inconsistent with its use and benefit to the public.

A county which has sent so many soldiers and sailors to the war who distinguished themselves by such patriotic and heroic deeds, and which is as wealthy and populous as Allegheny county, could well afford to do something in memory of its soldiers and sailors. Not only they, but their numerous descendants have a right to demand that something commensurate with the great sacrifices which they made; something commensurate with the sacrifices of those who have passed away here in this populous and wealthy county, should be erected to their memory. The people will not begrudge the slight and insignificant tax that will be necessary for the construction of such a building.

This plan has been uppermost in the minds of the survivors of this war for 10 years. It has been frequently approved by grand juries and the time is ripe now for its completion. The responsibility for the construction of such a memorial hall and its adaptation to the uses of the public in common with the soldiers and sailors, will rest with the county commissioners. It gives to the soldiers and sailors no property or title or privilege that it does not give to all other citizens of the county.

There really is no place in the city of Pittsburgh, or in Allegheny, except Old City hall, where a public meeting can be held which will accommodate the great majority of the people. This building should be situated in the populous part of the city where it is easily accessible to everybody, something like the Academy of Music in Philadelphia. It is a building that is wanted and needed here, not alone for the old soldiers and sailors, but for everybody else. The committee of soldiers and sailors in charge of this enterprise believes that had the writer of that article been fully acquainted with their purpose and object he would not have written as he did. They would be glad to leave it to the vote of the taxpayers of Allegheny county, for they have no doubt but what the returns would amply justify these proceedings. What is the expenditure of $1,000,000, more or less, to meet a want long felt by the public, not only a want, but the performance of a duty long withheld and unperformed. It is therefore most respectfully submitted that this subject be considered in the light of all its surroundings, its history and its attendant patriotic sacrifices and devotion, and the committee feels quite sure and quite safe in inviting any criticism and inviting any consideration, believing that the people of this county will not only sustain their efforts, but would gladly contribute in their taxes and by their voice and vote, if they had the opportunity, to this undertaking.

A. P. BURCHFIELD,
Chairman Memorial Hall Committee.

AS SEEN DOWN SOUTH.

Voted to Stand Pat.

Richmond Times: The fact is all the conditions were favorable to Republican success. The mills are busy, the railroads are showing enormous earnings, the financial institutions are strong and sound, merchants are enjoying a fine trade, the farmers are getting high prices for their products, workingmen are generally employed, and the whole country is prosperous. In such a state of things a stand-pat policy was necessarily popular. In such prosperity men were disposed to "let well enough alone."

No Use for Dead Issues.

Memphis Commercial-Appeal: The financial question is no longer alive. Nobody takes any interest in it. The Commercial-Appeal never thought there was any substance in the Philippine issue. It is too remote for vivid concern on our part, and the American people don't like to give up anything they have paid for. We have also tried conservatism and failed. Shall we bark back to radicalism? Why take up dead issues and try to blow the breath of life into them?

Was No Surprise.

Marion (Ky.) Press: In the breast of every thinking Democrat there has been ever present a shadowy fear that what has happened would happen, and hence they take their defeat philosophically and in good humor, which is the wisest thing they could do.

Too Much Spare Time.

Now that the political excitement is about over, did you ever notice that practically none of the women who want to vote live on a farm. They are all town or city women who don't have any churning to do.—Johnstown Tribune.

Pittsburghers at St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 16.—(Special.)—The following Pittsburgh people are registered at the leading St. Louis hotels:

Washington.
H. Darlington,
Mrs. Darlington,
Mrs. Alexander Laughlin.

Lindell.
J. S. Stahl.
E. L. Harrison.
T. W. Crotzer.

Hamilton.
Frank T. Neely.

Southern.
J. B. Richard.

Planters.
T. G. Williams,
P. C. Patterson,
S. B. Ely,
R. M. Shoe.

Buckingham.
A. C. Sackett,
Mrs. Sackett.

SUE WILLIAMS IS SUED AGAIN

Supt. Campbell Makes Three Charges Against Woman Who Testified Against Wilson.

CLARA LIVINGSTONE IS HELD

Police Superintendent Campbell of Allegheny yesterday had three warrants served on Mrs. Sue Williams of 62 West Robinson street. She is charged with selling liquor without a license, selling liquor on Sunday, and with keeping a disorderly house. The bail in each case is fixed at $1,000. When Mrs. Williams appeared at the office of Alderman Abernathey with her bondsman last evening the alderman had gone, leaving word that he would not be back until morning. Mrs. Williams will call there this morning at 9 o'clock. Mrs. Williams left her house last night and stayed with a sister in Pittsburgh.

Mrs. Williams is the woman who swore before Alderman Toole that she paid Capt. James Wilson $100 for the privilege of opening her house. On the night of November 6 Mrs. Williams' house was raided and she was fined $50 and costs by Magistrate Abernathey. Judge Evans later made an order that resulted in the fine being remitted.

Early yesterday evening Campbell left his office and could not be found.

"Of course, this is not persecution, or intimidation," said Mrs. Williams. "The papers are dated November 5. That is before my house was raided and before the court showed the city hall people that there was a higher court than a police court. I suppose the papers have been lying around somewhere since November 5."

Because Rody P. Marshall refused to wait after 4 o'clock, the hour set for the hearing of Alice Scott, the latter did not get a hearing yesterday before Alderman Toole. She is charged by County Detective Robinson with selling liquor without a license, and with keeping a disorderly house at 20 East Lacock street, Allegheny.

At the time set for the hearing Mr. Marshall, counsel for the Scott woman, appeared with her at the alderman's office. Lieut. Ferd Fleck, Roundsman Joe Dean and Policeman Thomas Carrol, subpoenaed as witnesses, were present. When Attorneys Haymaker and Marron failed to appear a few minutes after 4 o'clock Mr. Marshall took his client and went out, saying he did not care to wait any longer. Attorneys Haymaker and Marron arrived a few minutes later and were disappointed at the haste shown by Mr. Marshall and Miss Scott. The former was called up by telephone, but did not care to return to the alderman's office. The case will be heard this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock and the same witnesses will be summoned to testify.

In the case of Clara Livingston of 214 East Robinson street, who is charged by Detective Robinson with selling liquor illegally and with keeping a disorderly house, the defendant was held in $500 bail for court in each charge. Lieut. Ferd Fleck was called, but as it could not be shown that he ever patrolled a beat in the Tenderloin, he was dismissed.

Amos A. Dachroth testified he had frequently seen liquor sold in the Livingston woman's house and that he had positive knowledge that a disorderly house was conducted. His testimony proved sufficient to have the woman held for court.

ELECTRIC MEN BANQUET.

Westinghouse Representatives and Officials Meet at Annual Dinner.

The annual dinner given on the occasion when the managers of the district sales offices of the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company come to Pittsburgh to hold a convention, took place at the Duquesne club last evening. It was given by Mr. Frank H. Taylor, vice president of the company, who also presided at the gathering.

These gatherings afford the heads of departments an opportunity to meet in a social way the representatives of the company from all parts of the country. Among the speakers last evening were Mr. Taylor, C. A. Terry, secretary of the company, New York; W. S. Heger, San Francisco; Calvert Townley, New York; Guido Pantaleoni, St. Louis; R. L. Warner, Boston; W. G. Carr, Pittsburgh, and W. C. Webster, New York. The business meetings will be continued for two more days and the convention will adjourn on Friday evening.

WIRE PRODUCTS ADVANCE.

Prices of Sheet Steel and Tin Plate Are Also Increased.

NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—Although lacking official confirmation it is reported that wire products have been advanced $2 a ton by the larger manufacturers. Sheet steel has advanced $2 a ton and tin plate $3.

The Nut and Bolt association today reaffirmed the existing schedule. The structural and steel plate pools also conferred today, but no announcement of their action was made.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday:

William J. Baughman.....Braddock
Emma H. House.....Braddock
Henry J. Wilhelm.....Uniontown
Lillian R. Semmelrock.....Pittsburgh
William P. Heimbaugh.....McKees Rocks
Aria Sherwood.....McKees Rocks
Herman Vollweck.....Pittsburgh
Bella Schingo.....Pittsburgh
Mike Scullin.....Pittsburgh
Bridget Burke.....Allegheny
Christian C Kleinschmidt.....Allegheny
Lucy McMullen.....Pittsburgh
John Quillen.....East Liverpool, O.
Florence Gaches.....Pittsburgh
James J. McGowan.....Monessen
Agnes Shanley.....McKeesport
William A. McDevitt.....Freeport
Augustale Morrison.....Aspinwall
George Hampson.....McDonald
Ella Oliver.....McDonald
Paul Coleman.....Pittsburgh
Carrie Lester.....Pittsburgh
William J. Neill.....Pittsburgh
Amalia Eschachmidt.....Pittsburgh
Louis Bauer.....Allegheny
Bertha Brant.....Allegheny
Walter A. Burd.....Pittsburgh
C. A. Hannah Lackman.....Pittsburgh
Robert W. Bolton.....Washington, Pa.
Isabella Hennington.....Pittsburgh
J. Curtis Pollock.....McKeesport
Jennie Walker.....McKeesport
A. Bertram Gelsinger.....Wilkinsburg
Bertie L. Rose.....Wilkinsburg
John Ballenger.....Pitcairn
Nettie Harris.....Pitcairn
Frank H. McCauley.....Allegheny
Mabel R. Hester.....Allegheny
John Graham Hill.....Seward
Mary C. Spackman.....Seward
Walter Wagner.....Canonsburg
Margaret Beadle.....Canonsburg
Edward W. Sackett.....Turtle Creek
Annie M. Sherry.....Braddock
Albert E. S. Ralsbeck.....Pittsburgh
Lillian B. Dunseath.....Pittsburgh
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Ella Schmidt.....Homestead
Elmer J. P. Sill.....Pittsburgh
Celia Hinn.....Pittsburgh
Lorenzo Williams.....Pittsburgh
Sarah Hairston.....Pittsburgh
Calvin White.....Pittsburgh
Lydia M. Gaskill.....New Salem
Leon Schnitzer.....Monaca
Amelia Schwartz.....Rochester
Fritz Strittmatter.....Pittsburgh
Johanna Schatz.....Pittsburgh
Charles Bell.....Carnegie
Agnes Riley.....Carnegie

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DIED.

BECKER—On Tuesday, November 15, 1904, at 4 a. m., ELLEN A. BECKER, widow of Max J. Becker, chief engineer Pittsburgh, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis railway.

Funeral services at the residence of her son-in-law, W. F. Schleiter, 5420 Stanton avenue, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

BEVIS—On Tuesday, November 15, 1904, at 12 p. m., WALTER V., grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Robert R. McCoy.

Funeral services on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the residence of his grandparents, 2 Campbell street, Wilkinsburg, Pa. (Minneapolis papers please copy.)

BRAVENDER—On Monday, November 14, 1904, at 5:45 a. m., at the family residence, No. 220 Erin street, MATTHIAS BRAVENDER, member of Branch 36, C. M. B. A., in his 57th year.

Funeral Thursday morning at 8:30 o'clock. Services at St. Brigid's church at 9 a. m. Friends of the family and members of the above society are respectfully invited to attend.

[San Francisco (Cal.), Bridgeport (Conn.) and New York city papers please copy.]

COCHRAN—On Tuesday, November 15, 1904, at 12 p. m. REBECCA N., eldest daughter of W. F. Cochran.

Funeral services at her late residence, 1709 Juniata street, Allegheny, this evening at 8 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. Interment on Friday at North Zion cemetery.

CREESE—On Wednesday, November 16, 1904, at 9 a. m., at Mercy hospital, Pittsburgh, ANDREW CREESE, aged 73 years 10 months.

Funeral services at his late residence, Congo, W. Va., on Friday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Interment at Springhill cemetery, Wellsville, O.

CRITCHFIELD—On Monday, November 14, 1904, at her residence, 703 Lang avenue, at 10 p. m., MARTHA ELIZABETH, wife of Jesse Critchfield, in her 60th year.

Services at the Presbyterian church, corner Homewood and Bennett street, Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

(Somerset papers please copy.)

CUNNINGHAM—On Wednesday, November 16, 1904, at 12:45 a. m., JANE, widow of John Cunningham.

Funeral services at her late residence, 121 Finley street, East End, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private.

DEAN—On Wednesday, November 16, 1904, at Cleveland, O., WILLIAM DEAN, father of Mrs. William F. McKee, Kelly street, Pittsburgh, Pa., aged 55 years.

Funeral services at the residence of George B. McKee, 7218 Monticello street, East End, Pittsburgh. Time will be given later.

DOUTT—On Wednesday, November 16, 1904, at 7:24 p. m., JOHN T. DOUTT.

Funeral services at his late residence, 1701 Meade street, Allegheny, this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock. Interment Friday at Bradys Bend, Pa.

(East Brady and Kittanning papers please copy.)

HUGHES—On Wednesday, November 16, 1904, at 8:15 p. m., at his father's residence, 5900 Center avenue, East End, WILLET REED, son of Dr. Willet Patterson and Mary Reed Hughes, aged 7 months 16 days.

Notice of funeral later.

[Wilkesbarre (Pa.) and Bloomsburg (Pa.) papers please copy.]

JOHNSTON—On Wednesday, November 16, 1904, at 9 p. m., at the residence of her son-in-law, A. T. Dean, Elizabeth, Pa., MARTHA BOGGS JOHNSTON, aged 83 years.

Notice of funeral later.

KELLY—On Wednesday, November 16, 1904, at 9 a. m., WILLIAM D., son of the late William and Julia A. Kelly, aged 27 years.

Funeral from the residence of Mr. William Dorcas, 1312 Sandusky street, Allegheny, on Saturday morning at 8:30 o'clock. Requiem high mass at St. Peter's church at 9. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

KNEPPER—On Wednesday, November 16, 1904, at 8:45 p. m., FLORA JEANNETTE, daughter of Mrs. Maria M. and the late Charles Knepper.

Funeral services at the residence of her mother, 519 Washington avenue, Carnegie, Pa., on Friday, November 18, at 2 p. m. Interment private.

LECHNER—On Tuesday, November 15, 1904, at 4:40 p. m., at his residence, 235 Dithridge street, FREDERICK LECHNER, husband of Anna M. Lechner (nee Hoffman) aged 65 years 5 months 24 days.

Services at his late residence on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private. Please omit flowers.

REID—On Tuesday, November 15, 1904, at 12:50 p. m., at Mercy hospital, BERNARD J. REID, in his 52d year.

Funeral from the residence of his son, A. B. Reid, 518 Graham street, East End, on Friday morning at 9 o'clock. Solemn requiem mass at Sacred Heart church, Center avenue, at 9:30. Friends of the family, members of the Sixty-third Pennsylvania Volunteer association and of McPherson post No. 117, Grand Army of the Republic, are respectfully invited to attend. Interment private.

(Erie, Titusville, St. Louis and San Francisco papers please copy.)

SATLER—On Wednesday, November 16, 1904, at 2 a. m., SARAH EYRICH, relict of Martin Satler, in her 83d year.

Funeral services at her late residence, 125 Forty-fifth street, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private.

YOUNG—On Tuesday, November 2, 1904, at 1 p. m., at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Seitz, Freeport, Pa., HELENA M., beloved wife of John L. Young, aged 31 years 8 months.

Funeral services at St. Mary's church, Friday, November 18, at 10:30 a. m.

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Oak Buffet	from	64.00	to	45.00
Oak Buffet	from	50.00	to	38.00
Mahogany Buffet	from	65.00	to	45.00
Mahogany Buffet	from	45.00	to	32.00
Mahogany Sideboard	from	325.00	to	225.00
Mahogany Sideboard	from	165.00	to	110.00
Flemish China Closet	from	112.00	to	60.00
Flemish China Closet	from	232.00	to	125.00
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Mahogany Dresser	from	55.00	to	42.00
Maple Dresser	from	50.00	to	30.00
Mahogany Dresser	from	80.00	to	60.00
Oak Dresser	from	72.00	to	45.00
Oak Dresser	from	55.00	to	38.00
Mahogany Dresser	from	63.00	to	45.00
Mahogany Dresser	from	45.00	to	35.00
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Mahogany Chiffonier	from	98.00	to	65.00
Mahogany Chiffonier	from	115.00	to	80.00
Mahogany Chiffonier	from	225.00	to	125.00
Mahogany Chiffonier	from	58.00	to	38.00
Oak Chiffonier	from	75.00	to	55.00
Oak Chiffonier	from	41.00	to	28.00
Birch Chiffonier	from	42.00	to	35.00
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Oak Toilet Table	from	23.00	to	16.00
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SPECIAL TELEGRAM FROM
Fred L. Long, Staff Correspondent.

HUNTINGTON, W. VA., Nov. 16.—The most enthusiastic convention in the history of the Ohio Valley Improvement association opened here this morning. More than 300 delegates are present and a number of others are expected tomorrow. The prospects for the greatest convention the association has ever held are particularly brilliant.

The convention was called to order this morning at 10 o'clock in Carnegie music hall by L. J. Corbly, the president of the local auxiliary of the association. After a prayer by the Rev. J. S. Gibson, the address of welcome on behalf of the state of West Virginia was delivered by Gov. A. B. White, and that on behalf of Huntington, by the Rev. John McCarthy. Col. John L. Vance, president of the association, made the response.

The first day's session was a busy one. Delegates were arriving on every train and they all had to be looked after. The little town of Huntington has certainly done wonders in the way of entertaining the visitor. The red badge of the convention, with the state seal of West Virginia, as a pendant, is the open sesame wherever the wearer wishes to go. He can pay no street railway fare, there is nothing at a hotel they will not do for him. He owns the town and the Huntington people feel grateful to see him use it.

Guests Are Well Treated.

A superb round of entertainment has been provided. Tonight there is a theater party, the entire house having been reserved for the use of the city's guests. After the theater is a reception at the Elks' club. Tomorrow afternoon the convention will travel over the Camden interstate railway to Catlettsburg, Ky., where the residents want to give the members a banquet in the Catlettsburg court house and show them the "big" town of the Big Sandy river. There are numerous minor events on the schedule, but these are the principal ones so far arranged, although the committee is working overtime to devise something new for the pleasure of the guests.

The first real business of the convention today was the appointment of the committees by the president, Col. John L. Vance. Immediately following this came the president's report, which was a lengthy one, and took up most of the afternoon session. The report was thoroughly agreed to by the audience and the reading was frequently interrupted with cheers.

Particularly was this the case when the president read that in reply to questions from the secretary of war the association had answered that the value of the improved river could only be maintained by a persistent course of work upon the improvements and that the entire scheme should be provided for in one appropriation, and should be pushed to completion within 10 years. This seemed to strike the fancy of the delegates and this is the battlecry now: "A nine-foot stage in the Ohio from Pittsburgh to Cairo, all the year around, and the work to be finished in 10 years!"

The convention received greetings from the Upper Mississippi River Improvement association, which is meeting at Dubuque, Ia. The compliments of the Ohio Valley association were wired back. Telegrams were also received from several others who were unable to be present, notably one from M. E. Ingalls of the Big Four railroad, who said in his message of good will that between the rivers and the railroads there is no competition, when the matter is properly understood.

Cairo has a big delegation here boosting that city for the convention of 1905. Portsmouth also has a crowd working to the same end. The Cairo people got here yesterday, traveling in a special car and with all the enthusiasm possible got a day's start of the Portsmouth people. The Portsmouth people are circulating badges with the inscription upon them: "Dam the Ohio." And they mean what they say. The Portsmouth crowd is headed by Mayor C. Millsteade and Edgar M. Draper, president of councils. It is made up of the leading business and professional men of the city and they are pressing Portsmouth's claims with vigor. They have an advantage over Cairo in that many delegates think that city is too far away.

The hotel lobbies tonight are full of delegates and the peculiar thing is they are all talking of the business which has brought them together.

Not a Pleasure Jaunt.

This is not a pleasure jaunt for any of them. They came here on business. They want the Ohio river improved and following that they want its tributaries improved. They are awake to the necessity of energetic action and they propose to leave no stone unturned which will help along in the work. There could be few convention crowds where the matter which calls the convention could be so paramount as this one in this crowd here. They are talking locks and dams at Carnegie hall, on the streets, in the hotel lobbies, at the tables, wherever two or three of them get together. If enthusiasm counts for anything these men should have the Ohio navigable as they wish it within the prescribed decade. They say they never felt about it as they do now.

Capt. E. J. Ellison, secretary of the association, made his report this afternoon. Capt. Ellison has also been acting treasurer for the last 14 months. His report as treasurer showed that $42,- 000 had been collected by the association and there is yet $2,100 in the treasury. For this expenditure the association has succeeded in getting $10,000,000 worth of river improvements. He considered an investment that realized about 5,000 per cent a fairly good one.

AUDITORS TAKE HOLD OF STATE BANK'S BOOKS

Representatives of Dauphin County Court Begin Work This Morning Leading to Division of Funds.

Albert Millar, district attorney of Dauphin county, and Le Roy Wolfe, Esq., of the Harrisburg bar, who are the auditors appointed by the Dauphin county court to make the apportionment of the funds of the defunct State bank, Bloomfield, arrived in Pittsburgh yesterday and will start their work this morning.

The work of these auditors is to take the books of the bank and as officers of the court, examine them, take testimony on any contests that may be made and report to the court. If there are no contests the court will order the receiver, John E. Steel, to make a distribution of the funds.

It is stated the bank has now on hand $111,000, out of over $200,000 deposited. This will allow about a 30 per cent payment to the depositors on the present accounting, and it is hoped that ultimately about an equal amount more may be obtained, making in all 60 per cent return. The stockholders of the bank will be called upon to pay their "double liability," which means that $50,000 must be paid by them.

It will require several days for the auditors to finish their task and a few weeks may elapse before their report is made and accepted. Any contests that would be made would delay this and would likewise delay the final division of the funds among the depositors.

"Green Goods" Suspects Arrested.

NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—Five men, charged with being "green goods" swindlers, were arrested tonight in Brooklyn. Postoffice Inspector Boyle, who brought about the arrests, is of the opinion that the prisoners are the most daring operators with whom the secret service officers have had to deal in years, and their method of working made detection especially difficult. The men are George Harley, a salesman of New York and Charles Wilson, alias "Daniel Creek," a truckman. Albert Sloane, alias "George Primerose," alias "Charles Tiffany," a clerk. Henry Rogers, a salesman, and Elmer Brown alias "Albert Copper," a commission merchant, all of Brooklyn.

Not a Common Carrier.

PORTLAND, ORE., Nov. 16.—That the Western Union Telegraph Company is not a common carrier is the opinion of Presiding Judge M. C. George of the state circuit court.

News From the Front. The Hunting Season Opening in Ohio.

THE DEATH ROLL

Andrew Creese.

Andrew Creese, aged 75, for many years one of the best known men in boat-building circles along the local rivers, died at Mercy hospital yesterday morning. He underwent an operation, which was performed shortly after he was brought from his home at Congo, W. Va., last Sunday. Mr. Creese was born in Franklin township, this county. He learned the boat-building trade with Peter Shouse, at Shousetown. Later he was associated with John R. Stewart, who was prominent in the boat-building business along the Ohio river. He helped build the old Buckeye State, the Ajax and the Telegraph. He also helped in the building of the Ft. Wayne railroad. He married Miss Sarah E. Stewart, a daughter of the man who survives him, with three sons and three daughters. One son, David C. Creese, lives in Allegheny. The other children, Alvin W., Charles T., Gertrude, Caroline and Anna, reside at Wellsville, O. The funeral will take place at Wellsville at 1 p. m. tomorrow.

Dr. Thomas Drown.

Dr. Thomas Drown, president of Lehigh university, is dead at his home in Bethlehem, Pa. President Drown submitted to a surgical operation last week and his condition continued critical until the time of his death. He was born in Philadelphia March 19, 1842, and was graduated in the medical department of the University of Pennsylvania in 1862. He subsequently studied in the School of Mines at Freiburg and the University of Heidelberg. In 1874 he was made professor of analytical chemistry at Lafayette college, and in 1885 became professor of analytical chemistry at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. After two years' service in this institution, he accepted, in 1895, the position of president of Lehigh university.

Miss Flora Jeannette Knepper.

Miss Flora Jeannette Knepper, aged 25, daughter of Mrs. Maria M. and the late Rev. Charles Knepper, died suddenly yesterday morning at the family residence, 519 Washington avenue, Carnegie. Miss Knepper was associate editor of the Carnegie item, which was founded by her father in 1872. She was affiliated with many local institutions, being a member of the First Presbyterian church, the Woman's club, the Philharmonic society and several charitable organizations. She is survived by her mother, one brother, John B. Knepper, editor of the Chartiers Valley Signal, and three sisters, Esther, Lillian and Rose. Funeral services will be held at the residence Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

David S. Lowenstein.

David S. Lowenstein, aged 31, president of the East End Home Dressed Beef Company, died yesterday morning of typhoid fever at his home, 213 Denniston avenue, East End, after an illness of two weeks. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Lowenstein and was born in Allegheny. Mr. Lowenstein attended the Third ward public school. He had been a resident of the East End for the last 15 years. Besides his parents, his widow, two sisters and three brothers survive. He was a member of the Eighth Street temple.

Mrs. Martha Boggs Johnston.

Mrs. Martha Boggs Johnston, aged 83, is dead at the home of her son-in-law, A. P. Dean, at Elizabeth, Pa. She was born in Evans City, Butler county, and married Wilson Johnston, when she removed to Pittsburg. She was a cousin of R. H. Boggs of Boggs & Buhl of Allegheny. After her husband died 12 years ago she removed to Elizabeth and lived with her daughter, Mrs. Dean. She was a member of the Elizabeth United Presbyterian church.

Mrs. Jane Cunningham.

Mrs. Jane Cunningham, aged 78, widow of John Cunningham, died yesterday at the home of her son-in-law, James A. Watt, 121 Finley street, East Liberty. She was born in the Second ward, this city, and is survived by one son, Joseph Cunningham, and four daughters, Mrs. John Gordon of West Liberty, W. Va.; Mrs. E. H. Curtis of Bethany, W. Va., and Mrs. Watt and Mrs. William Boughman of Pittsburgh. Funeral services will be held at her late home at 2 p. m. tomorrow.

John Hennessey.

John Hennessey, aged 60, died late Tuesday night at the home of his sister, Mrs. Mary Fitzgerald, in Munhall, after a short illness, due to pneumonia. The deceased was born in Ireland and came to America nearly 40 years ago. He was employed at the Homestead steel works, was a member of St. Mary's Catholic church and is survived by one sister, Mrs. Fitzgerald, with whom he made his home.

Witnessed Electric Motor Test.

George Westinghouse, accompanied by Jacob Schiff, the New York financier; Samuel Rea, vice president of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, and W. W. Atterbury, general manager, arrived in the city last evening from Schenectady, N. Y., where they witnessed the test of the new electric locomotive manufactured by the General Electric Company. The party took dinner with Mr. Westinghouse and left last night for Philadelphia.

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ARE BOOMING DOULASS FOR PRESIDENT IN 1908

But Boston Club Secretary Says His Tariff Views Were Buried at the Late Election.

SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.

FAR ROCKAWAY, L. I., Nov. 16.—The advocates of a Douglass club at this place announce that they have the signatures of 125 voters who have agreed to become members of the club, and say that a meeting will be held in imperial hall next Monday evening for the purpose of organizing the club. Similar efforts are being made in Lawrence and Cedarhurst, where 80 members have been enrolled. The clubs are to be known as the W. L. Dauglass clubs and will urge the nomination of Gov.-elect Douglass of Massachusetts for the presidency, in 1908.

BOSTON, Nov. 16.—Criticism of Gov.-elect Douglass, Eugene N. Foss, a Republican advocate of reciprocity with Canada, and Henry M. Whitney, president of the Boston chamber of commerce, for their attitude on trade questions, by Col. Albert Clarke, secretary of the Home Market club, in his report at the annual meeting here today, provoked a debate on the tariff. Col. Clarke said:

"The local agitation for reciprocity in competing products, especially with Canada, mainly of Democratic origin, had made some inroads upon the Republican party, but the national election has buried it out of sight."

KINGS EXCHANGE HONEYED WORDS

Charles of Portugal Banqueted by British Monarch at Historic Windsor Castle.

BRILLIANT COMPANY PRESENT

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.

LONDON, Nov. 16.—The state banquet at Windsor castle tonight, in honor of King Charles and Queen Amelie of Portugal, equaled in brilliancy the previous magnificent functions at which European rulers have been the guests of Great Britain's reigning monarchs in the historic St. George's hall. The guests, numbering 160, included members of the royal family, foreign representatives at the court of St. James, cabinet ministers, military and naval officials and others.

King Edward and Queen Alexandra entered together and almost simultaneously the opposite doors rolled open for King Charles and Queen Amelie. The royal couples met at the center of the room and King Edward gave his arm to Queen Amelie and King Charles gave his arm to Queen Alexandra.

The banquet was served on one long table, King Edward sat at the center, with Queen Amelie at his right, and farther to the right were the prince of Wales, the duchess of Argyle, Paul Cambon, the French ambassador, the duchess of Connaught, Count Wolff-Matternich, the German ambassador and Princess Victoria of Schleswig-Holstein.

King Edward, in a felicitous speech, expressed his own and the queen's thanks and gratification for the visit, recalling the hearty welcome he himself had received at Lisbon last year. "I am glad to think," he said, "that the feeling between our two countries is of the most amicable kind. It dates back a long period, nearly 700 years ago, when the first treaty between Portugal and England was made in the reign of Edward I. About 100 years later a treaty was made at Windsor, and I am glad to think that this very day a treaty of arbitration has been signed here."

The company then drank to the healths of the royal guests.

King Charles expressed sincere gratification with King Edward's efforts in the interest of peace, which had been for the good of humanity at large, and which were furthered by the treaty signed today. In the name of himself, of his queen and of Portugal he drank the health of King Edward and Queen Alexandra and all the royal family.

After the dinner presentations were made to King Charles and Queen Amelie in the reception hall, in the following order: First, diplomatic corps; second, members of the British government; third, members of the late administration.

A special train for the guests left Windsor at 11:45 o'clock.

King Charles, accompanied by the prince of Wales, shot in the Windsor park today, and made a record bag of pheasants. King Edward did not shoot being lame, owing to a slight injury to his foot.

The feature of the entertainment of the king and queen of Portugal tomorrow will be a visit to London, a procession through the city, and luncheon at the Guild hall.

BRECKENRIDGE SUFFERS A PARALYTIC STROKE

Former Congressman and Noted Orator in Serious Condition at Lexington Home.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.

LEXINGTON, KY., Nov. 16.—Col. W. C. P. Breckinridge was stricken with paralysis at his law office this morning and is seriously ill. Some week ago, while in Marquette, Mich., trying a law case, Col. Breckinridge contracted a severe cold and upon his return to Lexington suffered the second attack of illness of his life. He had never fully recovered from that illness and had attended to little business, though going to his office every morning for the past week.

An examination by physicians showed the right side paralyzed. Tonight he is slightly improved, though he is not yet able to speak.

Physicians pronounce his condition serious but not immediately critical. He may suffer another paralytic stroke, however, and it is feared the result will prove fatal.

PRESIDENT REMOVES OFFICERS IN ALASKA

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—(Special.)—President Roosevelt has removed from office Frank H. Richards, United States marshal for the Nome district in Alaska, and has requested the resignation of Judge Melville C. Brown of the Juneau district. This action is the result of the investigation of the Alaska judiciary made recently by Assistant Attorney General Day. This announcement was made at the White House today by Attorney General Moody.

Making Annual Repairs.

Instead of closing all the mills at their Homestead plant at one time for repairs, the Carnegie Steel Company this year will only shut down one at a time, the first, the 40-inch, being closed down yesterday. The closing of but one plant at a time is the result of the many orders on the company's books. Rush orders will be transferred from one mill to another during the repairs, and in this manner it is hoped to keep all rush work cleaned up.

Be Cheerful

Life is too short to worry over mere trifles——It may be hard to be merry with a headache——You may have a bad tooth——or an earache——nevertheless, cheer up——These are mere trifles——The quickest and surest way to get rid of them is by always having handy when they appear, a bottle of

Hamlins Wizard Oil

This good old household remedy has been vanquishing all manner of pain for forty-five years——its wonderful power of penetrating the pores of the skin and getting at the seat of the disease is known the world over——Has stood the test of time——You are not paying for an experiment when you buy a bottle of the only Wizard Oil known——HAMLINS——

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Try one bottle.

A CONSTIPATED RACE.

Constipation is the most general of all afflictions, is unquestionably much more prevalent among women than men. The reason is obvious. Women's innate delicacy and false mental attitude in these matters and the present social conditions render it more difficult for her at unfavorable times and places to answer the call of nature promptly. As a consequence this most important duty is often on this account deliberately postponed, sometimes for days or even weeks. It seems incredible, but it is nevertheless profoundly true. And simply because no immediate ill-effects are felt no assistance whatever is offered to nature. Can any human being long remain healthy under such deplorable conditions? A continuance of this neglect is merely inviting graver ills and is a sure forerunner of some serious and often loathsome or malignant disease. Nature must be obeyed and unless she is, we are bound to suffer at some time or other for every outrage done her.

These conditions are by no means restricted to any class of society, but are just as prevalent in the highest as the lowest, if not more so.

However, chronic constipation and irregularity of the bowels cannot be cured by resorting to strong cathartics which, instead of effecting a cure, only tend to injure the delicate membranes of the alimentary tract and if their use is persisted in a condition of practical paralysis of the digestive organs is very likely to result. And yet how easy it is with reasonable effort to induce and re-establish the natural regularity of these organs. All that is required to remedy these evil conditions is an occasional mild laxative or aperient and a little more attention to our systems needs.

The safest and certainly the pleasantest form of laxative is found in Red Raven Aperient Water, soothing and cooling to the inflamed membranes of the stomach and bowels, gently restoring to the liver its original function. Sparkling and delightfully palatable Red Raven Water has no equal and should be in every home. Price 15c a bottle everywhere.

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Beautiful new linens for the Thanksgiving table at prices lower than ever before offered for similar qualities—

2x2 yard Table Cloths.....$2.50
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2x3 yard Table Cloths.....$3.75
2x3½ yard Table Cloths.....$4.50
2x4 yard Table Cloths.....$5.00

Napkins to match—

20x20 in. .....$2.50 a Doz.
24x24 in. .....$3.50 a Doz.
2x2 yard Table Cloths.....$3.50
2x2½ yard Table Cloths.....$4.50
2x3 yard Table Cloths.....$5.50
2x3½ yard Table Cloths.....$6.00
2x4 yard Table Cloths.....$7.00

Napkins to match—

24x24 in. .....$5.00 a Doz.
2 x2 yard Table Cloths.....$4.50
2 x2½ yard Table Cloths.....$5.50
2 x3 yard Table Cloths.....$6.50
2 x3½ yard Table Cloths.....$7.50
2 x4 yard Table Cloths.....$9.00
2¼x2¼ yard Table Cloths.....$7.00
2¼x3 yard Table Cloths.....$8.50
2½x2½ yard Table Cloths.....$7.50
2½x3 yard Table Cloths.....$9.50
2½x2½ yard Table Cloths $10.00
2½x4 yard Table Cloths.....$12.00
2½x4½ yard Table Cloths.....$13.50
2½x5 yard Table Cloths.....$15.00

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Full line of beautiful Table Cloths in sizes 2x2 yards to 2½x5 yards, ranging in price from.....$6.00 to $18.00
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Hemstitched Cloths with Napkins to match, very latest patterns—

2 x2 yards $14.00
2 x2½ yards $15.00
2 x3 yards $16.50
2 x3½ yards $18.00
2 x4 yards $19.50
2½x2½ yards $16.50
2½x3 yards $18.00

These sets have 22x22-inch Napkins to match.

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The cutting is especially rich and beautiful and the prices are much in your favor.

5-inch jelly, bonbon or olive Dishes .....$1.50 to $4
Good assortment of 6 in. Nappies.....$3.75 to $5.25
Larger pieces, 7 to 8 inches, $4.75 to $5.25.
An elegant cutting in Spoon Trays at from.....$4.75 to $5.00
Mustards in different cuts at, each, $2.75.
Sugar and Cream Sets, $4.75 to $9.25 per set.
Vinegar Cruets $2.50
Mayonnaise Sets, in new design, at a set $6.25
Odd shaped Nappies, ...$1.50 to $6.75
Celery Trays in the new palm and chrysanthemum cuts, at, each...$9.25
Comports, in the finest cuts, at, each..... $12.00

Ribbons

A new 10-in. Messaline Ribbon: just the thing for girdles and sashes, in pink, blue and white.....$1.25 Yd.
Fine Taffeta Ribbon, used for the same purpose, in pink, blue and white, 90c a Yard
Beautiful Pompadour Ribbons, for girdles, sashes and fancy bags, from 45c up to $1.10
A special 4-in. Messaline Ribbon, worth 25c yard.....15c Yard
Plaid Messaline Ribbon, in light and dark colors .....75c a Yard
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Women's Belts in silk and leather—every new shade and style.
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Tan Crush Leather Belts from 50c to $4.00
Blue Crush Leather Belts from 50c to $5.00
Black Silk Crush Belts from 50c to $5.00
White Silk Crush Belts from 50c to $12.00

Hand Bags

A very fine assortment of Ladies' Hand, Carriage and Automobile Bags in walrus and seal.
Black Bags, walrus and seal, fitted with coin purse, card case and vinaigrette, from.....$5.00 to $25.00
Tan Bags, in walrus or seal, fitted with coin purse, card case and mirrors, from .....$1.50 to $3.00
Brown Bags, in walrus, fitted with coin purse, card case and mirrors, from $1.50 to $7.50
Green Bags, in walrus or seal, fitted with card case and coin purses, from $7.50 to $15.00
Black Peggy Bags in assorted leathers—fitted or unfitted, from $1.50 to $5.00
A fine showing of imitation Walrus and Seal Bags from....$1.00 to $2.50

Women's Neckwear

New line of Collar and Cuff Sets, for coats .....$1.50 to $3.00
Special line of Ruching, all colors — a yard 15c
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Special Lace Jabots, with stocks..50c
Neckpieces, Widows' ruchings.....5c
New line of Silk Lace Stocks, with ruching.....25c
New Auto Veils, in Pink, Blue, Mode, Green, Lavender, White and black.$3.00
Special Lace Collar and Cuff Set, in box 50c
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New pleated Lace Jabots — white and ecru $1.50
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New Ostrich and Marabout Feather Boas—Muffs to match.
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3-clasp Delorme kid overseam embroidered back $2.00
3-clasp Dorothy kid overseam embroidered back.....$1.50
3-clasp Trefousse Suede overseam, silk embroidered $1.65
2-clasp Trefousse Tanne P. K. black, red and tan $2.25
1-buttoned White Pique Glace..$1.75
Vallier's 3-clasp Suede colors...$1.50

Gloves for Children

Misses' 2-clasp Bourbon, white and colors $1.50
Misses' 2-clasp Regence, tans and browns $1.00
Boys' 1-clasp Cable Sewn gloves $1.00
Boys' 1-clasp Heavy Pique, 000 to 6, at $1.25
Boys' 1-clasp P. X. M. $1.50
Misses' 2-clasp black Suede, 5 to 6½, at $1.50

Evening Gloves

20-buttoned Glace, white only...$4.00
20-buttoned Suede, white only...$3.50
16-buttoned Glace, white only..$3.50
16-buttoned Suede, Mode, Pearl, black and white $3.00
12-buttoned Suede, Mode, Pearl, black and white $2.50
12-buttoned Glace, white only...$3.00
12-buttoned Silk Gloves, plain... .75
16-buttoned Silk Gloves, plain...$1.00
12-buttoned Silk Net Gloves, at...$1.25
16-buttoned Silk Net Gloves, at...$1.50
16-buttoned Thread Lace, black and white $3.50

Fisk, Clark & Flagg Gloves

1-clasp Chevrette in tan and white, at $2.00
1-buttoned Doe Skin, in grey....$2.00
Perrin's 1-clasp Pique gloves, heavy weight $1.75
Perrin's 1-clasp and 1-buttoned Cape gloves, heavy $1.50
Ireland's 1-clasp Cape, large gilt clasp $1.75
1-clasp Cape $1.00
1-clasp Pique $1.00
2-clasp Plevna Glace $1.00
2-clasp Mocha $1.50
2-clasp Mocha $1.00
1-clasp grey Mocha P. X. M.....$1.50
Perrin's 7-hook lacing, black and colors $2.00
Perrin's 5-hook lacing, black only, at $1.75
Deep Cuff Gauntlet P. X. M. Cape, at $1.75
Deep Cuff Gauntlet Suede.....$1.25
2-clasp Astoria Mocha Pique, black and colors $2.00
2-clasp fleece lined Mocha.....$1.50
1-clasp Silk lined Cape $1.50

Warm Gloves

2-clasp silk lined Silk Gloves, black and colored linings.....$1.00
2-clasp fleece lined Silk Gloves....75c
2-clasp silk lined Cashmere Gloves,75c
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2-clasp half-lined cashmere.....50c
2-clasp fleece lined cashmere.....50c
2-clasp fleece lined cashmerette...25c
Children's Golf Gloves.....25c to 50c
Women's Golf Gloves.....25c to 75c
Women's Double Wool Mittens, 25c and 50c
Women's Double Silk Mittens, 50c to $1.00
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BISHOP POTTER VISITS BARROOM

Expresses Himself as Surprised at Cosmopolitan Advancement of Pittsburgh.

RETURNS TO NEW YORK CITY

Bishop Henry C. Potter took an opportunity during his visit downtown in Pittsburgh yesterday to investigate the local saloon question and to draw comparisons between those of Pittsburgh and his model Subway tavern in New York. With Bishop Cortlandt Whitehead and the Rev. Dr. A. W. Arundel the distinguished New York churchman visited the Nixon rathskeller in Sixth avenue and took note of all features of that institution.

It is a rare sight for men of the cloth to walk through a Pittsburgh bar room, and the presence of Bishop Potter attracted much attention. He walked past the bar where a score of men stood drinking, and among little groups that had gathered around the tables in the "old English room." All eyes were on Bishop Potter, but he seemed blissfully unconscious that he was recognized.

"Pittsburgh is more of a cosmopolitan city than I had imagined," said Bishop Potter. "I have been surprised and pleased with the advancement Pittsburgh has made."

The formal entertainment of the bishop closed last night at the reception given by the Church club at the Hotel Schenley. Over 600 guests met him in the sumptuously decorated parlors. Previous to the reception the bishop and his daughter, Mrs. Charles H. Russell were the honor guests at a dinner given by Mr. and Mrs. Augustus P. Burgwin at their residence in Craft avenue. At 10 o'clock last night the bishop and Mrs. Russell returned to New York.

At 10:30 o'clock yesterday morning Bishop Potter preached a sermon to several hundred Daughters of the King in Trinity church, Sixth avenue. Preceding the sermon holy communion was administered. Bishop Whitehead was the celebrant, Bishop Potter read the gospel and Dr. Arundel the epistle. Following the sermon the daughters served a luncheon in the parish house at which the bishops were the guests of honor.

E. M. BIGELOW ATTACKS MEMORIAL HALL PLAN

Says Soldiers' Shaft Would Improve Liberty Avenue After Tracks Are Removed.

Director Bigelow is enthusiastic about his project to build a high marble shaft at Liberty and Fifth avenues as a memorial to the soldiers and sailors of Allegheny county instead of a building. He has decided to urge the adoption of his idea at once, instead of waiting for the possible chance of the memorial hall plan being abandoned. He declares the hall idea is a mistake and says the erection of a column in the triangle bounded by Fifth avenue, Liberty avenue and Market street, would be an ornament to the city that would grow in popular appreciation. He urges that his plan be considered at once in view of the extensive improvements which are to be shortly made in Liberty avenue.

"The railroad tracks are to be taken from Liberty avenue and the avenue is to be paved from the Point to Twelfth street, and other changes will occur which will make Liberty the finest thoroughfare in the city," said Director Bigelow.

He expressed the opinion that the veterans of the Civil war are not as strongly in favor of a hall as it appears and he intimates that the hall project is advocated chiefly by persons who wish to give an architect a fat job.

Besides the removal of the railroad tracks from Liberty avenue and the paving of the street with asphalt it is said that Director Bigelow also contemplates the extension of Seventh street to Sixth avenue and Wood street by cutting off the corner of the triangle where the Monongahela National bank building stands and to make a public square of the remaining portion of this triangle. This, it is argued, would lessen the congestion of traffic at that point and beautify Liberty avenue. The public works department has also prepared plans to widen the sidewalks along Liberty avenue as soon as the railroad tracks are removed.

WILL DISCUSS GEMS.

Lecture on Precious Stones Before the Academy of Science and Art Promises Literary Treat.

George F. Kunz will deliver his lecture tonight on "Precious Stones, How Found, Mined, Cut and prepared for Commercial and Artistic Purposes," under the auspices of the Academy of Science and Art

George F. Kunz, A. M.

in the Conservatory of Music, Dithridge street.

Few persons are better qualified to speak on the subject of precious stones than Mr. Kunz. He has served as agent of precious stones for the United States geological survey since 1882. He has been honorary commissioner of radium at the world's fair. He is the author of "Gems and Precious Stones of North America," a book of standard value. Mr. Kunz is now investigating radium and other radio-active substances. The lecture will be illustrated with lantern slides.

GOV. HIGGINS SPENT $22,189 FOR ELECTION

ALBANY, N. Y., Nov. 16.—Gov.-elect Higgins certified today that his election expenses were $22,189.53. This is the largest sum spent for this purpose within the recollection of the present employes of the secretary of state's office. Mr. Higgins gave $20,000 to the Republican state committee.

OPEN TODAY.

Verner's New East End Shoe Store Ready for Business.

C. A. Verner's handsome new shoe store at 6204 Penn avenue, next door to Kuhn's, will open its doors to the public today.

It is finished in quaint mission style, and is very cozy and comfortable. The stock is practically a duplicate of the splendid lines carried at the downtown store, Fifth and Market.

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The finest Japanese hand-carved, wood and ivory screen ever brought to America —worth $3,500,000—to be sold at auction today at 2 p. m., at 420 Wood street. Shimamura & Co.

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YOU SHALL HEAR IF YOU LISTEN

Marked and General Interest in Proverb Contest to Bring Additional Feature.

ANNOUNCEMENT NEXT SUNDAY

When the suggestion was made to offer readers of The Gazette a mode of entertainment along educational lines and in full accord with the high purposes and policies of this paper, the question at once arose whether or not a contest or competition along educational lines would appeal to public interest. Upon devising the "Proverb contest" The Gazette feels gratified and complimented in its clientele of readers by the expressions of marked approval and manifold signs of interest shown on all sides and from all sources since the beginning of this contest.

In appreciation of this interest, which has been far greater than the fondest anticipation, an important announcement to proverb solvers will be made in next Sunday's issue of The Gazette; one that cannot but appeal to them most favorably. This announcement, which is now in course of preparation, will be most important, not alone to those who have entered upon the task of fathoming correct solutions to the illustrations which have already appeared, but will also, of necessity kindle the fire of hope in the bosoms of the faint-hearted, who may not have had the confidence in themselves to undertake the task.

Plenty of Time for Solutions.

It is not too late now to enter upon this contest, nor will it be too late until six days after the 30th and last illustration is printed. The feature of this contest is the fact that everyone is to have ample time and opportunity to solve the correct answers to the proverb illustrations, the condition being rigidly enforced that no answers will be accepted until all the "pictures" have been published.

Among the many letters received in connection with this contest, one communication is at hand which gives evidence that the wrong impression has gained ground in the mind of at least one reader. The letter is as follows:

I have taken great interest in attempting to solve your puzzle pictures. In fact, it is big evening's amusement at our home, in which even the children join. We think, however, that the better educated class has the advantage over those of inferior education, and while we think we have found the proper solutions, we fear the stronger competition.

Where the Advantage Lies.

If there be any advantage between "the better educated" and those of more modest intellect, that advantage would by all means be with those having the lesser attainment. It is only reasonable to presume that those, feeling that they have proverbs in household use at their finger tips, will in their conceit jump at a hasty conclusion and hit upon an answer that may only in part cover the illustration under conjecture. There are many proverbs which have been memorized by the public only in part, and it is only reasonable to suppose that those, such as the writer, who do not feel over-confident, will appeal to the proper channels to refresh their memories and thereby gain that element of education for which this contest was inaugurated.

Limited space forbids entering upon questions raised by many writers, which are ably answered in the conditions of this contest, but the educational interest that the contest has aroused might be illustrated by the following communication:

Homestead, Pa.

I belong to the proverb evening school of Homestead and have had great fun and real work in securing answers to your proverb pictures. Some of my friends have clubbed together and organized a club of seven, and we meet every evening. We are going to send you seven sets of answers and are working hard to win. I am two answers ahead of the rest of the club, but the others promise to catch up with me tonight. Please do not make the pictures too hard or I will fall behind.

Had Fun Anyhow.

From Etna comes the following:

I want to tell you, whether I win anything or not, it has opened a profitable avenue of amusement for me. I have enjoyed looking up the solutions immensely, and I know of many others who feel likewise.

Do not miss the important announcement to be made in The Gazette next Sunday. Order your paper for next Sunday today and avoid possible disappointment. Keep your ear to the ground and if you listen you will hear something that cannot but interest you and work greatly to your advantage.

COUNCILMEN VANISHED AND QUORUM WAS BROKEN

Allegheny Members Left Chamber as Names Were Called and Prevented Action on Important Measure.

Just as Allegheny select council was about to proceed with a vote on an important measure yesterday afternoon, two members left the chamber and broke the quorum. Those who went out as their names were called were John F. Bealor and Charles O. Deverts.

The measure was a resolution introduced on the call of wards by Dr. Andrew Easton of the Third ward, instructing the director of public works to take possession of that part of South park, now occupied by the Pennsylvania Company. Dr. Easton is chairman of a special committee appointed to inquire into the right of the Pennsylvania Company to occupy the southern portion of South park, but he has never been able to get a quorum of him committee together. He asked for the passage of his resolution under a suspension of the rules.

When the quorum was broken by Bealor and Deverts leaving the room, some of the councilmen were indignant, and City Solicitor S. G. Porter was heard to remark to Dr. Easton: "If it is the last act of our lives, we will make the Pennsylvania Company give up that property. It belongs to the city and it shall have it if I have to proceed without instructions from councils."

When the rules had been suspended Peter Born asked why, if the city owns the ground, the director of public works did not take possession of it without asking councils for the privilege of doing so. City Solicitor Porter explained that while there is no doubt as to the city's title, under the supreme court's decision, he hesitated to proceed until authorized by councils. He added that the Pennsylvania Company is in contempt of court as long as it continues to occupy the property.

When the clerk started to call the yeas and nays on the question, Bealor vanished through the door and Deverts was but a few paces behind him. Easton, Einstein, Omsiner and Robinson, voted in favor of the resolution and Oliver, who was presiding, and Peter Born voted against it. Those absent from the meeting were Chairman Torrance, Beatty, Brown, Hock, Kirschler and Tschume. A motion to take a recess until 4 o'clock was carried, but Bealor and Deverts did not return and council adjourned.

The only other measures submitted was an ordinance authorizing the director of public works to enter into an agreement with some responsible party for the collection of waste paper on the streets.

LIBERTY BELL ENROUTE.

World's Fair Bids Adieu to Venerable Relic and Sends It Home to Philadelphia.

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 16.—Farewell exercises in honor of the Liberty bell, which for several months had been on exhibition in the Pennsylvania building at the world's fair, were held today. Vice President-elect Fairbanks and Speaker Joseph G. Cannon, made addresses.

A battalion of Philippine constabulary escorted the bell to the palace of transportation, where the relic was placed on board a special car for transportation to Philadelphia. Twenty stops en route will be made to enable school children to have an opportunity to see the bell.

PENNSYLVANIA BOY ROBBED IN ST. LOUIS

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 16.—(Special.)—Ira Gray, a university student and son of Joseph A. Gray, a mine operator of Spangler, Pa., was robbed of $200 in this city, and a saloonkeeper has been arrested, charged with the theft. Gray is described as a "good fellow."

MOVE OFFICES TO CHICAGO.

Board of Control of Epworth Leagues Decides to Give Up New York as Headquarters.

General offices and headquarters for Epworth leagues throughout the world will be removed from New York to Chicago. This decision was reached by the board of control yesterday afternoon at its annual session, in the Monongahela house. A committee consisting of E. B. Rawls, Indiana; R. S. Copeland, Ann Arbor, Mich., and Thomas Filben, San Francisco, reported favorably, and Dr. E. N. Randall, general secretary, was authorized to secure such assistance in carrying forward plans for mission study, Bible study, and Junior league work, as may be necessary by this transfer.

The annual convention of the Pittsburgh conference of the league opens today at Vandergrift, and continues until Saturday. Two bishops will be in attendance, something unusual. These are Bishop J. M. Thoburn of India, a noted missionary and uncle of the Rev. Dr. J. M. Thoburn, Jr., of Allegheny, and Bishop J. F. Berry, president of the United Epworth leagues.

Bishop Berry welcomed the delegates at the opening of the board of control annual meeting yesterday morning and spoke on the efficiency and good work accomplished by the organization. C. F. Reisner of Denver was elected recording secretary to assist Secretary E. M. Randall of Chicago. The committees for the year's work were then named as follows:

Junior league work, C. F. Reisner, J. W. Frizelle and the Rev. Ward Platt; ways and means and auditing, H. A. Schroetter, Morris Daniels and B. L. Payne; international convention, J. W. Frizelle, C. F. Reisner and Morris S. Daniels; reorganization of central offices, E. B. Rawls, R. S. Copeland and Thomas Filben; Christian work and evangelization, B. L. Payne, the Rev. Ward Platt and H. L. Jacobs; mercy and help, literary and social, W. B. Matthews, E. B. Rawls and Thomas Filben; general reference, R. S. Copeland, W. B. Matthews and Jesse R. Clarke; special work, Jesse R. Clarke, B. L. Payne and H. A. Schroetter.

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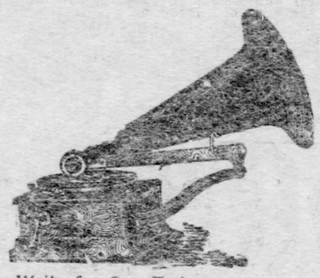

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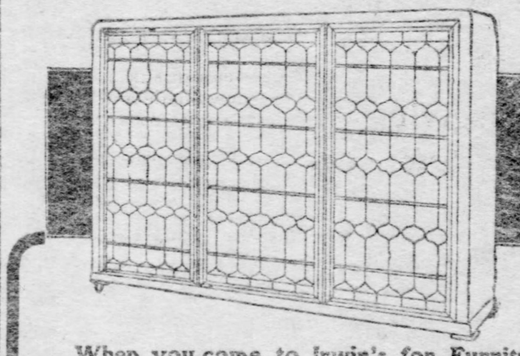

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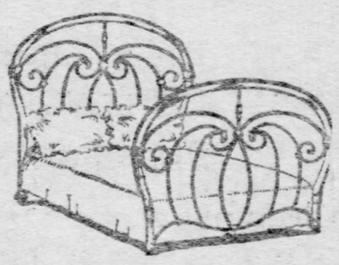

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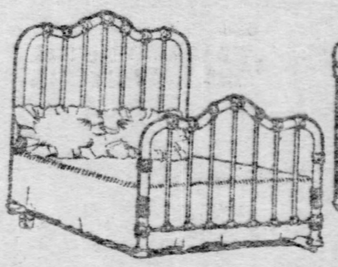

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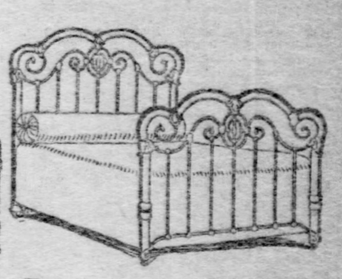

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OPPOSED TO UNION OF CHURCH BODIES

Louisville Theologian Declares Kentucky Presbyterians Will Resist the Project.

OTHER TALKS IN SAME STRAIN

The western section of the Alliance of Reformed Churches throughout the world, holding the Calvinistic system, after an all-day session, adjourned yesterday afternoon to hold its April meeting in Nashville, Tenn.

The feature of the day was the banquet at noon, served by the women of Grace church. Gen. Ralph E. Prime was toastmaster and addresses were made by several of the delegates. The talk was largely on the subject of union with the Cumberland Presbyterian church.

The Rev. Dr. Francis E. Beatty of the Presbyterian Theological seminary of Louisville, said: "If the Presbyterian and Cumberland Presbyterian churches are united it will be a matter of force as far as Kentucky is concerned. All the Presbyterian churches of Kentucky are vigorously opposed to the movement and it would give a backset to union with the Southern Presbyterian church. In Kentucky and Tennessee it would Cumberlandize the whole Presbyterian church."

The Rev. Dr. Henry C. Minton, ex-moderator of the Presbyterian general assembly, expressed himself as "entirely opposed to the contemplated union under the present plan and existing conditions."

Judge E. W. C. Humphrey of Louisville and Gen. Prime also are opposed to union. Gen. Prime said that he was "in favor of unity, but did not think union desirable."

The Rev. Dr. James D. Moffatt, president of Washington and Jefferson college, said: "Unity first and union afterward, but union first and unity afterward, might not be the right way."

The Rev. Dr. G. B. Fullerton of St. Louis, a Cumberland Presbyterian minister, advocated union.

Dr. Moffatt expressed the wish in his address that the members of the alliance might have more "liberty of speech in the meetings and not be forever afraid of trampling on somebody's toes."

The Rev. Dr. William L. McEwan told the alliance that "this is the strongest and most solid Calvinistic community on the face of the earth, and the Presbyterians in Allegheny county outnumber the Roman Catholics, Methodists, Baptists and all other denominations combined, and Pittsburgh is, therefore, the best Sabbath-keeping, God-fearing city in the whole world."

Reports were made by the Rev. Dr. John Prugh on foreign missions and by the Rev. Dr. Beatty on home missions.

The Rev. Dr. James I. Good of Reading, George F. Baer's pastor, remained over to speak in the East Liberty Presbyterian church; the Rev. Dr. William Henry Roberts of Philadelphia, in the Sixth Presbyterian church, and the Rev. Dr. M. A. Lyle of Philadelphia, in the Sixth United Presbyterian church, and some others in smaller churches.

Will Hold Annual Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Pittsburgh and Allegheny Baptist union will be held this evening in Beth-Eden church, Allegheny. Annual reports will be heard and several addresses will be made. The principal speaker will be the Rev. Dr. Emory Hunt of Denison University, Ohio.

YERKES SEES SUBWAY, DOES SOME COMPARING

London's Tunnel Way Well Ventilated, He Says—Artistic Signs Unobjectionable.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—Charles T. Yerkes, the Chicago millionaire, came here from London today with some views as an expert on the deficiencies of the city's new subway. He holds the controlling interest in the Metropolitan District Underground road in London. Commenting on the general complaint that New York subway atmosphere is impure, Mr. Yerkes said:

"On the tube lines to Central London the ventilation problem was not thought of. It was expected that motion of the trains backward and forward would stir up the air and that it would be pushed out of the tunnel. That applied to the lighter gases. The carbonic acid gas which is a heavy gas and very destructive, was not pushed out and the people were affected by this carbonic acid gas so much that the Central London management have put in a large air pump at one end of the line. Every night the foul air is drawn out.

"We have pursued another plan for our roads. We ventilate every station and draw out the foul air at these stations just as the air is taken out of a mine. Another thing that we have paid great attention to in our underground roads is to see that non-inflammable material is put in."

Mr. Yerkes said that if advertisements were made artistic as in the Paris underground railway, the public eye might not be offended.

POSTOFFICE STENOGRAPHER IS REMOVED FROM OFFICE

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—Postmaster General Wynne today removed from office D. M. Monroe of Wisconsin, a stenographer in the office of the first assistant postmaster general. The cause assigned was insubordination and the writing of communications to the late Postmaster General Payne criticizing his superiors in the department as well as the method of keeping its records and defining the action to be taken in certain cases affecting the clerks.

Aged German Commits Suicide.

MARTINS FERRY, O., Nov. 16.—(Special.)—August Marquardt, an aged German, shot himself through the heart some time this morning, and when found in his room was dead. He had three children living here, but refused to make his home with any of them, preferring the life of a recluse. There is no known cause for his act.

Arrivals at Pittsburgh Hotels.

Griswold—John E. Keenan, Morgantown; G. H. Crawford, Greensboro.

Monongahela House—W. R. Stevenson, Wheeling; W. Hunter, Uniontown; P. A. Johns, Warren.

Lincoln—W. Fenwick, Canton.

Colonial—W. G. Irwin, Marietta; E. P. Bachtell, Bradford; C. G. Drake, Grove City; T. L. Rogers, Fairmont.

Duquesne—C. O. Marks, Leechburg; C. F. Bronson, Cadiz; W. Francis, Titusville.

Henry—F. C. Lang, Punxsutawney; F. L. Stewart, Niles; J. B. Nessler, Brownsville; W. Wall, Altoona; J. S. Braddock, Mt. Pleasant.

Seventh Avenue—John C. Hick, Bradford; George Ritchie, Midway; E. A. Pugh, Oxford; F. B. Wicks, Akron; W. H. Brown, Crooksville.

Newell's—S. W. Jones, Latrobe.

MASONS DISCUSS THE NEW TEMPLE

Scottish Rite Bodies Will Talk Over the Project at Meeting This Evening.

LODGES CONSIDERING SALE

The plans for a new Masonic temple are being matured as rapidly as the needful formalities can be carried through. The Scottish Rite bodies of the valley of Pittsburgh will discuss the plans this evening and the result is expected to be a definite proposition from those organizations as to their willingness to unite in a general plan.

The question of selling the present property in Fifth avenue has been referred, or will be referred, immediately to all of the Masonic organizations that have an interest in the Masonic Fund society, which owns the building. If the consent of these parties to a sale for the purpose is obtained, the sale will then be handled by the seven trustees constituting the board that manages the society. Five bodies practically own the society.

It has already been announced that the Scottish Rite bodies have bought and paid for a frontage of 251 feet in Forbes street adjoining St. Peter's Protestant Episcopal church and running through to Fifth avenue with a frontage of 100 feet in Fifth. The Scottish Rite Masons will build on that site, whether the other Masonic organizations unite with them or not.

Degrees up to the twenty-first were conferred yesterday, the second day of the annual reunion of the Scottish Rite Masons of the valley of Pittsburgh. The number of candidates presenting themselves for degrees yesterday was 229. The degrees were conferred by Pennsylvania council, Sovereign Princes of Jerusalem, and the Pittsburgh chapter of Rose-Croix. Today the candidates will be taken to the thirty-second degree. The reunion will continue through tomorrow. A shrine meeting will be held Saturday evening.

There are many out of town visitors this year, about 200 having registered up to yesterday morning. The list includes: District deputy grand master, John P. Hazlett, Youngstown, O.; grand master, George E. McNab, Youngstown; senior warden, B. Frank Thomas, Youngstown; senior warden, John A. Ballard, Philadelphia; Clarence J. Davis, 33d degree, Steubenville, O.; Charles H. Cummins, 33d degree, Philadelphia; G. J. Koons, Williamsport; D. Warren Patten, New York; William M. Wood, Buffalo; Perry Hood, Indianapolis; Judge Robert Umbel, Uniontown; John F. Core, Uniontown; Isadore Herzbrun, Grand Rapids, Mich.; J. E. Larrabee, Cincinnati; S. T. Mallory, Parkersburg, and W. D. McKeefrey, Cleveland.

The Scottish Rite class of 1903 held a banquet at the Hotel Henry last evening. There were 90 present, including delegates to the annual reunion of the Scottish Rite bodies which is being held in this city. Francis C. Freeman acted as toastmaster, and among the respondents were J. I. Buchanan and H. W. Dunlap.

CRUM'S NAME WILL AGAIN GO BEFORE THE SENATE

Collector of Customs at Charleston, S. C., Has Completely Disarmed His Opponents.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—One of the first nominations which will go into the senate at the opening of the session will be that of Dr. William D. Crum for collector of customs at Charleston, S. C. The president is evidently in hopes that the senate will take a more sensible view of the matter now than it has taken heretofore, and vote its approval, but he is as resolved as ever that it shall confirm or reject the nomination as the Constitution contemplates.

There are signs that the Charlestonians themselves are not feeling quite as they were. For this, Dr. Crum's own tact and good sense are responsible. He has gone about his business unobstrusively and made a good record in office. He carefully abstains from thrusting himself in any way upon the society or notice of the white people who were most opposed to him at first; lives his own life, without the slightest sign of false pride, and, altogether, has disarmed the sort of feeling which was prematurely volleyed at his nomination. It would not surprise anyone if the objection to confirmation fell of its own weight at the coming session.

LIFE-BOAT HAS SAFELY CROSSED THE ATLANTIC

ST. JOHNS, N. F., Nov. 16.—The life boat Urad from Aalesund, Norway, which sailed August 7, bound for St. Johns and Brude, and three others aboard, arrived in the harbor here today. She was three months and nine days crossing the Atlantic. The boat competes for the prize for the best lifeboat in the St. Louis exposition.

Prefers Rum to Precious Gems.

Because he thinks more of whisky than of diamonds a man is being hunted by the South Side police. This gentleman made the proposition at the wholesale liquor house of George Englert, 2700 Carson street, yesterday, to trade a handsome solitaire diamond ring for a quart of whisky. The proposition was refused and an effort was made to detain him until the police could be summoned, but he would not wait. His description has been furnished to the police.

Railroad Official Drops Dead.

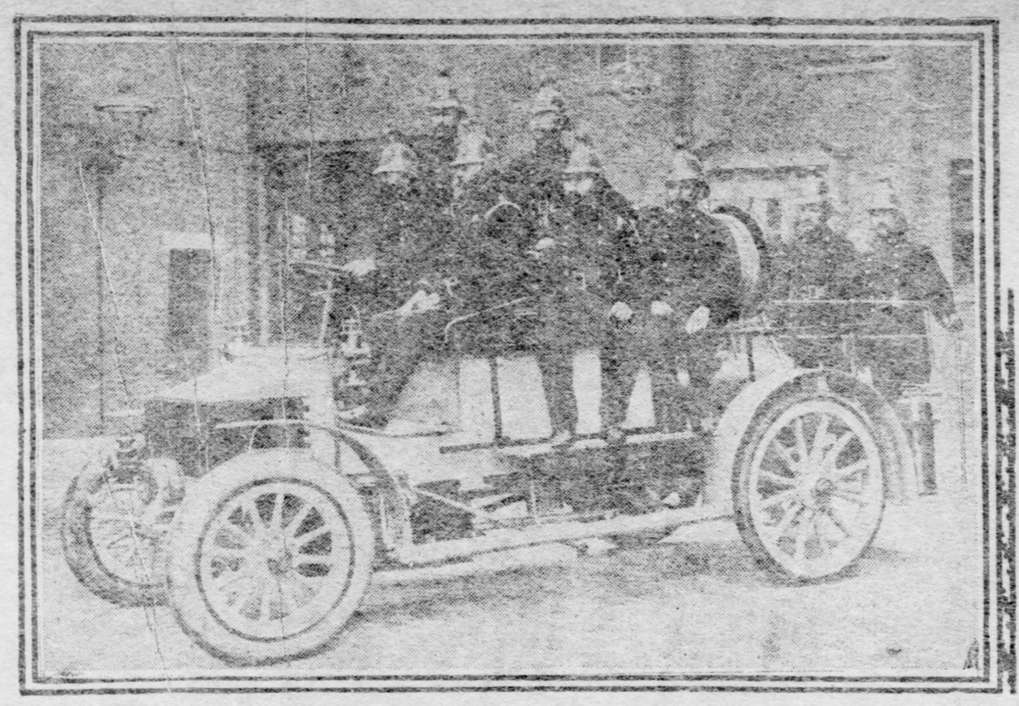
CINCINNATI, O., Nov. 16.—C. A. Parker, aged 45, second vice president of the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton railroad, and vice president of the Pere Marquette road, died suddenly in his office in the Carew building here today. The cause of his death is thought to have been heart disease. He came to this city last month from Denver, Col., where he was vice president of the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company.

Foreign Bank Closes Doors.

Another foreign bank became insolvent in Homestead yesterday and John Copas, the principal officer, is locked in the Homestead police station awaiting a hearing before Justice George W. Giles, on information made by George Resseler, who claims he deposited $400 with Copas for which he was to be paid 6 per cent interest. He now claims Copas refuses to give him his money.

Boy Has Remarkable Escape.

James Peduna, a 6-year-old Hungarian boy, was struck by a north bound passenger train near the Etna station of the Pittsburgh & Western railroad about 6:45 p. m. yesterday. He escaped serious injury.



This cut shows the fastest automobile fire-engine in the world. It was ordered and built for the City of Leicester and can travel at the rate of thirty-five miles an hour. It is a chemical engine and is ready to begin to fight fires the minute it arrives on the spot.

SOLDIERS' CLOTHES MUST BE MADE BY CONTRACT

Quartermaster General's Opinion Would Seem to Deprive Women of Work.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—Quartermaster-General Humphrey has reported to the secretary of war that in his judgment the revised statutes require the allotment of the contract for the making up of soldiers' clothing at the Schuylkill arsenal, Philadelphia, to private contractors who are the lowest bidders. The president and the secretary of war are desirous of retaining the work in the hands of women, mainly widows and orphans of soldiers, who have made this clothing since the civil war. Secretary Taft has submitted Gen. Humphrey's report to the president, who in turn has referred it to the judge advocate general of the army, with instructions to learn whether he can, without violating the statute, continue the work in the hands of the women.

The report of Gen. Humphrey showed that about 100,000 garments of various kinds are now being made by seamstresses at Philadelphia, also the quartermaster's department had advertised for bids and received replies before any controversy had arisen over the subject. The bids showed that the trousers could be made by the manufacturer for 37½ cents, while costing 75 cents when made by the seamstresses, making a saving on the order of $20,000 to the government. But Gen. Humphrey called attention to the statute which compelled advertising for bids and letting of contracts to the lowest bidder where the same quality of work could be secured, and this is the question to be decided by the law officer of the army.

Russia Will Be There.

GENEVA, Nov. 16.—(Special.)—Official minutes of the meeting of the International Peace bureau held at Berne Saturday have just been published. Significance is attributed to the fact that Russia will be represented.

D. A. R. AT HISTORIC SITE.

State Conference at Allentown Hears Addresses and Unveils Bronze Tablet.

ALLENTOWN, PA., Nov. 16.—The state conference of the Daughters of the American Revolution met today in Zion Reformed church on the site where the Liberty Bell and Christ church bells of Philadelphia were concealed in 1777 and 1778 when Howe's army occupied that city. Addresses were made by Mayor Lewis, Mrs. Robert Irdell, Miss Minnie McLay of Washington, D. C., and Mrs. Alfred G. Saeger.

This afternoon Liberty Bell chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, unveiled a bronze tablet three by four feet at the court house commemorative of the Allentown soldiers in the Spanish-American war and bearing their names. Mrs. Irdell presented the tablet, which was accepted by Mayor Lewis and Judge Trexler. Gens. J. P. S. Gobin and T. J. Stewart also made addresses.

TRAINS BRUSH BY BRUSHTON NOW

Preliminary Injunction Maintaining Service at That Point Is Dismissed by Court.

HOLD FINAL HEARING LATER

The preliminary injunction preventing the Pennsylvania railroad from closing its Brushton station was dismissed by Judges James R. Macfarlane and Marshall Brown yesterday, but the court stated that there were too many important points to be considered to dismiss the case entirely, and a hearing will be given it later.

This order allows the Pennsylvania railroad to abandon its Brushton train service for the present at least. The road also closed two more stations yesterday, those at Lawrenceville and Pine Creek.

The preliminary injunction had been granted on the application of Jesse Morris, H. L. McCracken and John Coulson of Brushton, and the effect of it was to force the railroad company to give the usual train service there yesterday. The Bea Venue and Fifth Avenue stations were abandoned, as arranged on Tuesday.

Attorney J. S. Ferguson, representing the Brushton propertyholders, said in his argument that if the station were abandoned the residents would be greatly inconvenienced by being compelled to come to the city by other means. He said that the station was used by thousands of persons who had purchased property at Brushton on the strength of the railroad maintaining a station at that point.

Attorney Thomas Patterson, representing the railroad company, said that the removal of the station is a necessity owing to the proximity of the Homewood and Wilkinsburg stations. He said that a proper consideration of the matter could not be given at a preliminary hearing, but that the facts could be brought out at a final hearing.

A number of witnesses in the case were examined on both sides. Among those for the Brushton people were C. U. McNinn, H. J. McCracken and G. W. Moore. All testified that the station was used by thousands and that the values of property in that section would be seriously affected by the railroad abandoning its station there. Street cars give much slower and more unsatisfactory service, they said.

For the railroad company G. W. Snyder, assistant engineer of the Pennsylvania's Pittsburgh division, appeared. He produced plans of the local tracks at Brushton showing the difficulty of operating local train service there. He said that the station was needed when established, as there were no other means of communication with the city, but that street cars now give the needed service. S. C. Long, superintendent, and D. C. Stewart, passenger trainmaster of the division, testified along the same line.

The case promises to bring out more exactly than ever before in this state the legal status of a railroad company's station as regards the right of the railroad to abolish an established depot and the right of the patrons to demand such service.

REPORT IS DISCREDITED.

St. Petersburg Hears Nothing of Rumored Clash Between Russians and Afghans at Kushk.

LONDON, Nov. 16.—A dispatch to the Pall Mall Gazette from Moscow says a telegram received there from Baku announces that trouble has occurred between Russians and Afghans at Kushk. The Afghans, it is added, exploded a Russian magazine, and many soldiers were killed.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 16.—The war office here utterly discredits the report of trouble between Afghans and Russians at Kushk. There is direct telegraphic communication with Kushk, and no report of trouble there has been received. It is explained that the magazine is inside the fortress and that it is inconceivable that the Afghans could have entered and exploded it.

LOCKED IN ICE BOX.

Chicago Saloonist and Customer the Victims of an Unusual Daylight Holdup.

CHICAGO, Nov. 16.—(Special.)—Jerry Sullivan, saloonkeeper at 569 Grand avenue, and John McGinnis, one of his customers, were the victims early today of one of the most remarkable holdups in the criminal history of the city. Sullivan, suffering from severe cuts and bruises, is in a serious condition and McGinnis is suffering from the effects of confinement in an ice box, where he and Sullivan were held prisoners for nearly an hour.

The robbers secured $95, four watches and a diamond ring, which they tore from Sullivan's finger. They remained in control of the saloon for nearly half an hour before they fled.

Odd Fellows in Convention.

WHEELING, W. VA., Nov. 16.—(Special.)—The first day of the grand lodge of Odd Fellows of West Virginia was devoted to the consideration of routine business. Reports indicated a healthy growth in finance and membership. The net increase in members was 360. Tomorrow officers will be elected and the selection of a location for the Odd Fellows home, for which a fund of $30,000 has accumulated, will be made. Inducements are being offered by Wheeling, Fairmont, Parkersburg, Ravenwood and Charleston.

Alarmist Reports Are Discredited.

BERLIN, Nov. 16.—The rumors of a recurrence of Emperor William's throat malady and the necessity for another operation are received with the greatest incredulity in court, medical and other well-informed circles in Berlin. The emperor's daily course of life is such as to almost in itself give the lie to the report.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis B. Case, Who Celebrated Their Golden Wedding at West Newton Recently.

Boys' overcoats

Boys' all-wool long cut fly front oxford overcoats—with belted back, would be good value for $4.50 or $5, this sale..... 3.50

KAUFMANN'S
"THE BIG STORE"

Boys' reefers

Boys' regulation P. T. style reefers—navy or army blue, lined with red flannel—special this sale..... 3.00

Underwear and Hosiery for man, woman or child

THESE very important and very large sections of "The Big Store" have established a standard and maintain it by superior judgment in selection of the various lines of good, better and best makes of foreign and domestic underwear and hosiery for men, women and children. In very few stores in this country will you find greater assortments of styles and kinds—and in none will you find better and more complete lines than ours. There is not a want relative to hosiery and underwear which we cannot satisfactorily supply, be it for the eminently fine goods or the popular priced sorts. Every prominent foreign and domestic manufacturer is represented—so if you have a desire for any particular make rest assured that it can be met in our stocks.

Women's underwear

Women's combed Egyptian yarn fleece ribbed vests—high neck, long sleeves, cream or white, also pants to match—special value at..... 25c

Women's fast black wool mixed ribbed underwear—also union suits, nicely finished—the regular 75c and $1 underwear—this sale..... 50c

Women's three-quarter wool ribbed vests—the famous Helvetia make, hand silk finished, white or natural color, also pants to match—this sale... 75c

The famous Harvard and Helvetia make hand silk finished underwear—in wool, silk and wool, or silk and cotton, white, natural or black..... 1.00

Women's three-quarter wool ribbed union suits—high neck, long sleeves, ankle length, white or natural color, hand crochet silk finished, at..... 1.50

Women's best dollar all-wool underwear—natural, camel's hair or medicated scarlet, good heavy weight, all sizes, this sale..... 65c

Women's union suits—all-wool and silk and wool, perfect fitting, natural or white, all sizes—special value at..... 2.25

Boys' and children's underwear

Boys' fleece lined and heavy cotton ribbed shirts and drawers—won't shrink—all sizes, regular 39c values, special this sale..... 22c

Boys' underwear at 48c—regular 75c values—choice from fine camel's hair soft wool—Dr. Wright's health fleeced lined or a fine maco yarn cotton ribbed with soft fleecing—all sizes—special at..... 48c

Children's ribbed vests or pants—good fleeced cotton, also misses'—all sizes 2 to 16 years—at..... 25c

Some of the hosiery specials

Men's full fashioned black cotton half hose—made from pure combed Egyptian yarn, with double toes, heels and sole—the regular 25c hose, this sale, pair..... 17c

Men's extra heavy wool sox—navy blue, with white double merino heels and toes—always sold at 25c pair, this sale... 19c

Women's extra heavy cotton fleece lined stockings, plain and ribbed tops, with seamless foot and extra spliced heels and toes—worth 25c a pair, this sale..... 15c

Women's soft finished cashmere and wool stockings—plain and ribbed; black, natural and oxford, with double merino heels and toes, exceptionally good value at..... 25c

Children's heavy ribbed cotton school stockings, with extra heavy fleece lining, seamless foot, spliced heels, toes and knees—our regular hose, at two pairs 25c, pair..... 15c

Men's winter underwear

Men's heavy sanitary wool fleece lined underwear—the regular 75c quality at 39c. This underwear has heavy but soft fleecing which provides warmth and does not irritate the skin—all sizes in 4 different colorings are included in this sale, regular 75c values at..... 39c

Men's heavy weight camel's hair or natural wool underwear—mixed with 10 per cent cotton to prevent shrinkage. An excellent garment for comfort and durability—worth $1.00, at..... 75c

Special purchase of 5 cases of heavy wool ribbed underwear for men—tight fitting, warm and comfortable—shirts silk finished and drawers extra well made—3 colorings—tan, camel's hair and natural wool—regular $1 underwear, marked for this sale..... 69c

Dr. Wright's health fleeced underwear—a special purchase of 20 cases, known as manufacturer's "seconds," but it would require a microscope to detect the little oil spots, double-thread knots, etc; the regular $1 kind, 75c—the regular $1.50 kind..... 95c

Men's fine all-wool underwear—a special purchase of only 3 cases in two colorings—light tan and blue—very soft and warranted all wool—regular $1.50 underwear, while the lot lasts, special at..... 1.00

Women's suits, wraps and furs — A most remarkable Collection here

HUNDREDS of garments daily coming and going—a very kaleidoscope of styles—always new and fresh, delineating the very latest fashion thoughts. And, because of this continual ebb and flow, there's always good news of women's wearables at Kaufmann's; news of the latest caprice of the fickle Dame, news of goods that must be hurried out to make room for newest arrivals.s And so you see the Kaufmann policy of business is responsible for a vast deal of unusual excellence in women's wear, as well as a vast deal of exceptionalness in the matter of value giving.

14.85 For women's $25 tailor-made suits

We save you more than $10 on every one of these suits. And such swell suits as they are—most skillfully tailored in the latest three-quarter tight-fitting, vestee and cutaway style—the coats lined with fine satin, trimmed with braids and buttons—the skirts very graceful hanging, in the new kilted style, trimmed with braids.

Broadtail velvet coats—can hardly be told from the real broadtail fur—30 and 32 in. lengths. Flat collar of peau de soie, stitched and braided, new shoulder effects and full sleeves—every coat a $25 value, our special price..... 18.00

Women's tan covert tourist coats—the swagger three-quarter length style with loose belted back, flat collar, newest sleeve effect, lined throughout. These coats were made to sell for $12, special today at..... 7.98

Silk and lace waists—late arrivals in silk and lace waists that are worthy of special mention from a beauty as well as price standpoint—lovely Oriental lace waists, yoke effect, trimmed with Irish point medallions and insertions, lined with India silk, white or ecru—real $8.50 waists at..... 5.00

A special in fur scarfs—double pelerine shape scarfs, in sable and Isabella fox, beaver, wolf and squirrel, with natural brush ends or with cord and tassel—scarfs which were intended to retail for $8 and $10, special today at..... 5.00

33.00 For women's $45 nearseal coats

If you've been looking for a big bargain in a fur coat, here's your opportunity. These nearseal coats at $33.00 are made of carefully selected skins, in the newest styles, with the new shaped reveres and sleeves, lined with fine quality guaranteed Skinner's satin. $45 would not be a bit too high for these coats, only a limited number to go at 33.00.

Beautiful fur scarfs—made of selected skins—blue wolf, Isabella and sable fox, Siberian squirrel and natural mink—stole, pelerine and all the new shapes—every scarf made of fine matched skins—real $15 values, our special price..... 10.00

Girls' $3 dresses, 1.98

Here's a splendid bargain in a girl's stylish all-wool school dress, made of blue, brown and red all-wool flannel, trimmed with medallions, neat braids, etc., full skirt with deep hem, lined throughout—dresses selected from our own regular $3 line and reduced for this special sale to 1.98. All sizes, 4 to 14.

Girls' and misses' $8.50 and $10 coats at 4.90—these will also fit small women. Both long coats and tourist style, made of fine all-wool mixtures and plain materials; trimmed with velvets, braids, etc. Full back with belt, new full sleeves, sizes 10 to 18 years. They're real $8.50 and $10 values, choice today..... 4.90

Make your own handkerchiefs for Christmas

THE making of handkerchiefs at home means the embodying of your own ideas and the saving of money as well. Then, too, the recipient always appreciates something that you've made yourself far more than if you had bought it ready made. "The Big Store" is headquarters for all the different handkerchief materials.

Footing—plain and point d'esprit with dainty edge, also dozens of patterns of pretty Val. laces with insertings to match—per yard, 15c down to..... 5c

Handkerchief centers—fine sheer medium weight centers, 6 to 9 inches square, ⅛ and ¼-inch hem; also embroidered centers, in great variety—each 25c, 15c and... 10c

Beading—a big assortment of all different kinds and styles of narrow Val. beadings and insertings for handkerchiefs—per yard, 5c and..... 3c

Silk Chantilly laces—in white and cream, nice for trimming pin cushions, 2¼ in. wide, yd., 5c, 10c and.... 15c

The Genial Idiot
By John Kendrick Bangs
In The Sunday Gazette

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Mr. Dooley's Philosophy
By Peter Finley Dunne
In The Sunday Gazette

YALE PLAYERS ARE IN FINE SHAPE FOR THE FINAL GAME

YALE'S ELEVEN IN FINE SHAPE

Team Is Ready for Saturday's Game—Harvard Is Still Experimenting.

LITTLE BETTING ON THE GAME

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

NEW HAVEN, Nov. 16.—Yale's 'varsity players came home last night in time for dinner, every kicker hale and hearty as a king.

"We are in top notch form," said Trainer Mike Murphy. The men looked the picture of health, stepped as elastic as kittens and not a trace of staleness was visible. Capt. Hogan said: "We are feeling fine. Our trip up the river did us a world of good, and we are ready to close the season with a rush."

Yale men are now confident of beating Harvard by a fat score, not less than 18 and not more than 30 points, on Saturday. They do not expect Harvard to score except by a fluke.

The players went to their rooms on the campus, but will probably be taken to the Yale infirmary on Prospect Hill the night before the Harvard game, in order that they can get rid of the excitement incident to the colossal crowd which always swamps the city the night before the Harvard match.

Field Coach Hafferty had good news to tell Capt. Hogan in the shape of an announcement that Peul Veeder, the fleet quarter and halfback, will be eligible for the game against Harvard next Saturday if he is needed. Veeder got involved in a night scholarship complication, 10 days ago and did not adjust matters in time for the Princeton game last Saturday, but the incident is now closed and he was out today for practice.

Yale students to the number of 500 marched to the Yale field this afternoon behind a brass band and a student parade with much enthusiasm when the gates of the football field were thrown open to the public. They cheered and sang with more volume and better unison than ever before and kept it up during the entire afternoon. All the new football songs were sung, under the leadership of several prominent singers of the university, and each member of Capt. Hogan's team was cheered heartily.

It was expected that there would be an open practice scrimmage with the scrubs, but all the spectators saw was a lively signal drill and some practice in handling punts. The signals were run through in a fast manner, which was encouraging to spectators and coachers alike.

Harvard.

CAMBRIDGE, Nov. 16.—Harvard spent the afternoon in football practice today, preparing against the possibility of injuries to regular right tackle, and Brill, the left tackle, may not be able to play. Derby, who is Meier's substitute, is also on the crippled list, and if neither of these men play, the whole Harvard line will have to be rearranged. It is this rearrangement form that the team played this afternoon. From tackle to tackle it was: Ovesm, left tackle; Parker, left guard; Parkinson, center; White, right guard; Squires, right tackle. There seems to be little chance of Meier's getting into the Yale game, but Brill's chances are bright. It is not true, as reported in some quarters, that Brill has a broken shoulder. He bruised his shoulder last week, but will be pretty sure to get back into the game. Meier banged his arm in the Dartmouth game so that he has not full control of it, but if he is in any sort of shape he will go in, as he is one of the grittiest players on the Harvard squad.

The varsity showed considerable improvement both in its offensive and defensive work this afternoon. The second could not gain so easily as yesterday and the varsity was often held for downs. The varsity did no fumbling, the work of the ends was much improved, and Sperry and Nichols both did better punting. The regular varsity played the second for 15 minutes and scored one touchdown, while the substitutes played the second for 20 minutes and failed to score. There were a number of old players out this afternoon to have a final look at the Harvard eleven. The team will leave for Morris Cove, just outside of New Haven, Thursday morning.

NOT CHAMPIONSHIP TEAM.

Massillon After Steubenville Because of Claim Made on Billboards.

The Steubenville A. C., which will play the Pittsburgh Lyceum Saturday on the Bluff, has been billed as the champions of Ohio, a title that the Massillon Tigers take exception to. Massillon, which has been winning all its games, most of them by large scores, has registered complaint. The Lyceum management claims it acted in good faith when it billed the Steubenville team as a championship one.

Steubenville will have "Slab" Burns, once a well-known local pitcher, in its lineup Saturday. There was a report that Tom Needham, the Boston catcher, would also play, but the report is not given credence for the reason that the Boston management is supposed to have a clause in his contract refraining him from playing football or any other competitive athletics.

Tickets for Saturday's game will be put on sale today.

AMONG THE PASSERS.

The Hamilton five won a third straight victory by defeating the Homestead Eagles 47 to 8 last night.

The Marquette first team desires a game on its floor for Saturday evening. Call 9144-Hazel and ask for Flatley.

The Company F team wants games. Would like to hear from Altoona for Thanksgiving. Address J. O. Barr, 537 Smithfield street, city.

The East Liberty five beat the Newman club Tuesday evening on the latter's floor, 23 to 6. Field goals—Kalloch 2, Brennan 3, Orr 2, P. Stephens 3, Thompson, Gallagher 2, Poole, Stonerod 2. From foul—Orr, Stonerod 3. Referee—McLean.

South Side will play the Homestead team at Odd Fellows' hall, South Side, Saturday night. South Side's playing in the second half in last Saturday's game showed it is not yet in championship form, but it hopes the Homestead game will put it in condition for its first league game at Manchester next Monday night.

BIG CROWD OPENS SKATING SEASON AT DUQUESNE GARDEN

Fully 3,500 People Crowded Into the Big Building to Enjoy the Winter Sport.

With a crowd many times larger than ever gathered before at Duquesne garden at the opening of the skating season, the popular winter sport was ushered in last night. Long before the time at which it was announced the doors would be opened the sidewalk in front of the big building was crowded with young people eager to get on the ice.

When the doors opened at 7:30 o'clock the crowd was so big that a crush resulted and a man was pushed through one of the windows, but was not injured, although the glass was smashed. The ice was in first-class condition when the skaters took their first swing around the big auditorium to the accompaniment of the music. It was estimated that fully 3,500 people were in the building, and of this number fully 2,500 put on skates.

The electric lighting system in the garden has been changed entirely. There are 40 arc lights strung over the ice and fully 2,000 incandescent lamps scattered about the auditorium.

Before admitting the crowd Manager A. S. McSwigan told the people gathered in front of the building that no rowdyism would be tolerated this season. He said the success of the skating season was due in past years to the effort made to keep the garden on a high plane, where people of refinement could meet and enjoy themselves.

Heston Spurns Big Offer.

The Akron (O.) football management offered Capt. Heston of the Michigan eleven $100 to play against Massilon Thanksgiving. The Massilon club, on hearing of the offer, raised the ante to $500. Heston has turned down both propositions.

Heston has no particular objection against $500 bills, but has decided that it will hurt his chances of landing a position as coach and will injure his football reputation in general to go into professionalism in this way.

AMATEUR FOOTBALL GOSSIP.

The Hazelwood Library A. C. will play the Bryant A. C. Saturday.

The Crescents will play the Steubenville High school Saturday at Steubenville.

All Primrose players are to report for practice this and Friday evening.

The Monterey A. A. will line up against the East End Lyceum Reserves Saturday.

All Westlake Reserves players will report for practice this evening at 7:30 o'clock.

The Maplewoods is without a game for Saturday and any 85-pound team call 1963 Court.

Ben Avon Field club wants games at home for November 19 and 24. Call Emsworth 60-J.

The South Side eleven will give a reception tonight at the Jane street Turner hall, South Side.

Ingram has no game for Saturday. Call 226 Carnegie building on the Bell 'phone and ask for Rose.

The Avalon Indians claim the 30 to 35-pound championship. Address Stanley Sleeth, Forest avenue, Avalon.

The Linwood A. C. has open dates for 85-pound teams. Write George Brandenstein, 1000 Lincoln avenue, East End.

Glenfield is without a game for Saturday. Any team not lighter than 80 pounds call J. K. Scandrett, 477 Grant.

The Bellevue Y. M. C. A. would like to hear from all 70 to 70-pound teams. Address Ford Barnes, Benton avenue, Allegheny.

The Army A. C. is without a game for Saturday. Any 85 or 90-pound team address J. Zollinger, 159 Forty-third street, Pittsburgh.

Manager Gurety of the Lighter Tigers is requested to call up Manager Daniels of the Brown A. A. 'Phone, 194 Cedar or 168 Brady.

The Devlins will play at Monongahela City Thanksgiving day. They have November 26 open. Address Julius Greder, 52 Fourteenth street.

The Olympias of Wilkinsburg are without a game for Saturday. Any 65-pound team address George Evans, 1212 North avenue, Wilkinsburg.

The Dallas Mohawks are out for the 60 to 65-pound championship. Thanksgiving is open. Write Homer J. Beckett, 6921 Hamilton avenue, Pittsburgh.

The Oneidas will practice this evening at 7:30. Any strong 85 to 90-pound team having Thanksgiving open address F. J. Hettling, 1316 Sycamore street, city.

The Waltons are without a game for Saturday. Any good 70 to 75-pound team 'phone 550 Court between 12:30 and 1 o'clock and ask for Neddermeyer.

The Westlake High school players must report for practice this evening at 7:30 o'clock. Westlake will play the Sharpsburg A. C. at Elliott park Saturday.

The Hillside Tigers are without a game for Saturday and would like to hear from some good 80 or 90-pound team. Call Lehman on Bell 9126-J, Highland.

All members of the LaBelle A. C., including Kinney, Lungren and Mason are to report this evening at 7:30 sharp at the corner of Page and Fulton street, for practice.

The Sheridan Indians will play the Corapolis Tigers Saturday. The Sheridan Indians' manager desires Bittner and Esquage of Esplen to be at practice this evening.

The Linwood A. C. of the East End claim the 90-pound championship of the East End. Saturday is open. Write George Brandenstein, 1,000 Lincoln avenue, or call 9094 Highland.

The manager of the East End Lyceum Reserves desires to hear from the manager of the Lowell H. regarding a game for Saturday, November 19. Call Court 1144 and ask for Hofmann.

The Pastime A. C. will play the Primrose team at the Colosseum Saturday. All Pastime players are to report at the club house this and Friday evenings. The Herron Hill team is requested to bring his team to Central Park to practice.

The Sewickley Y. M. C. A. third team claims the title to 80-pound championship of Allegheny county. Any good team disputing their claim can get games on Thanksgiving day or November 26. Address H. C. Bartholomew, Box 206, Sewickley.

The Lyceum team was presented with a loving cup on the stage of the New Alvin theater last night, between the first and second acts of "Charley's Aunt." William J. Brennan made the presentation speech, and Jerry Dunleavy, Jr., on behalf of the Lyceum, accepted the cup.

CHAMPIONSHIP DATE FIXED.

Sycamores and Crescents to Play for Lightweight Honors November 26 at Friendship Park.

The Sycamores of Allegheny and the Crescents of the East End, the leading teams in the lightweight football division, will meet at Friendship park Saturday, November 26, to play for the title. These were the leading elevens last year, but they did not meet. However, they have determined to settle their dispute on the gridiron this fall, and Manager Carr of the Crescents and Manager Loughney of the Sycamores have about completed arrangements for the game.

The Crescents will play the Steubenville High School Saturday at Steubenville, but will not use their best players, saving them for the Sycamore game. The Sycamores have not been scored on this fall.

"Lefty" Boyle, the baseball pitcher, who was with Akron and Homestead last season, is playing a guard on the Sycamore team.

Yankee Boy Again Shows Speed.

LONDON, Nov. 16.—At the Oxford freshmen sports today W. E. Schutt, the Rhodes scholar of Cornell university, last week's winner of the half-mile and mile runs, won the two-mile run by 15 yards. Time, 10 minutes 24 3-5 seconds.

Eckersall, Chicago's Crack Quarerback, Punting the Ball.

PLAYERS WERE NEARLY EXHAUSTED IN FAST GAME

Rambler and Fowler Teams Fought It Out to Finish—Manchester Midgets Score Victory.

MANCHESTER LEAGUE STANDING.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Manhattan A. C.	2	0	1000
Railroad A. C.	1	0	1000
Rambler A. C.	1	2	.333
Fowler A. C.	0	2	.000

STANDING IN THE RALEIGH LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Tom Thumbs	2	0	1000
Railroad Midgets	1	0	1000
Manchester Midgets	1	1	.500
Fayette Midgets	0	3	.000

The Rambler basketball team defeated the Fowler A. C. last night at Raleigh hall in a Manchester league game, 23 to 14. The game was fast from start to finish and the players on both teams were ready to drop from exhaustion when the final whistle blew. Watson did most of the scoring for the winning team, getting four goals from field and seven from foul, making a total of 15 points. Heuring was the most fortunate of the Fowlers, having two field goals and four from foul to his credit when he was forced to retire with a bleeding nose.

The preliminary between the Manchester Midgets and the Fayette Midgets of the Raleigh league resulted in a victory for the former, 18 to 8. Jackson did the greater part of the scoring for the Manchester Midgets, landing five through the net from field. Harry Burry officiated at both games, and his work was entirely satisfactory to all the teams. Following is the lineup and score for both games:

Manchester—18.		Fayette—8.
Steup	Right Forward	Burns
Jackson	Left Forward	Zimmer
Richards	Center	Wyland
Earls	Right Guard	Buka
Kelley	Left Guard	McNulty

Goals from field—Jackson 5, Richards, Kelley, Earls, Burns, Buka. Goals from foul—Steup 2, Burns 2. Referee—Burry. Timer—E. Lowrie. Scorer—King.

Rambler A. C.—23.		Fowler A. C.—14.
Watson	Right Forward	Young
Moore	Left Forward	Brown
Gittens	Center	Kelley
Young	Right Guard	Vaughn
Ott	Left Guard	Heuring, Steup

Goals from field—Watson 4, Moore 2, A. Young 2, Kelley 2, Heuring 2. Goals from foul—Watson 7, Heuring 4, Young, Kelley. Referee—Burry. Timer—E. Lowrie. Scorer—King.

WAYNESBURG TO PLAY WASH.-JEFF. SATURDAY

WASHINGTON, PA., Nov. 16.—(Special.)—Manager Grubbs today completed arrangements for a game here Saturday between Washington and Jefferson and Waynesburg college, to take the place of the contest with Bethany, canceled yesterday by the local management. Waynesburg will bring a host of rooters along and expects to hold the red and black to a low score. The practice of the W. & J. team against the scrub today was phenomenal. Stuart, left guard, was out for the first time in several weeks, and showed great strength on the line. The varsity scored seven touchdowns on the scrub by straight football, at times carrying the oval along half the length of the gridiron on one down. There was little fumbling by either team. The scrub was one of the best of the season. Logan was at halfback in place of Skinner and made a good showing. Wright and Neill were given special instructions in handling punts and showed great improvement, dropping the ball but once or twice.

Socials Beat Millvale Team.

The Social team took two out of three games from Millvale at Houlahen alleys, Millvale, last night. Dan Houlahen of Millvale made high score of 210 and high average of 188. Scores:

Millvale—			
Houlahen	207	210	147
Shaw	186	162	155
Jackson	166	192	168
Madden	158	125	150
Meyers	126	152	196
Totals	843	841	808
Social—			
Harris	193	170	146
Seuss	157	168	162
Downey	170	171	169
E. Vey	204	174	178
Gersibrein	169	178	141
Totals	893	871	796

PAIR OF GOOD THINGS PUT THROUGH AT LATONIA

Two Long Shots Won Events and Made Backers Happy—Charawind Wins Steeplechase.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CINCINNATI, O., Nov. 16.—Charawind, the Corrigan jumper, won the steeplechase in a drive from Thornhedge, at Latonia. Brazil's efforts on the Canadian horse drew him a sentence of indefinite suspension. Two long shots, Captain Sam, 50 to 1, and Eclectic, 60 to 1, won. Summary:

First race, 6 furlongs—Sam Stevens, 98, Nicol, 8 to 1, won; Fiori, 104, W. Dugan, 6 to 1, second; Bernice, 99, J. Lewis, 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:15.

Second race, 1 mile—Prof. Neville, 107, Nicol, 8 to 5, won; Varro, 107, W. Dugan, 5 to 2, second; Oicnetz, 101, Boland, 11 to 1, third. Time, 1:41⅘.

Third race, 5½ furlongs—Captain Sam, 103, Trautbol, 50 to 1, won; Judy Traynor, 108, Seamster, 7 to 1, second; King Thorpe, 93, M. Wood, 40 to 1, third. Time, 1:08.

Fourth race, steeplechase, short course—Charawind, 170, Pemberton, 7 to 5, won; Thornhedge, 172, Brazil, 4 to 1, second; Wyth, 127, Pierce, 40 to 1, third. Time, 3:02.

Fifth race, 5 furlongs—Eric Lee, 104, Lindsey, 18 to 5, won; Pearl Hopkins, 104, Seder, 16 to 1, second; Fruit, 108, Dugan, 11 to 10, third. Time, 1:02.

Sixth race, 1 1-16 miles—Eclectic, 99, Baird, 60 to 1, won; Sam Craig, 104, Gullett, 20 to 1, second; The Regent, 105, Dugan, 5 to 2, third. Time, 1:49.

BENNINGS TRACK READY.

Season Opens Today and the Events Are Well Filled.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—The fall meeting of the Washington Jockey club will begin here tomorrow. The Bennings track has been greatly improved and is in excellent condition. A good field of high-class horses is already stabled here and a large number of the best jockeys who have been riding around New York, will have mounts. The meeting will continue three weeks. Tomorrow's card is featured by the Columbia handicap and the Bladensburg steeplechase. The entries follow:

First race, three-year-olds and up, selling, 6½ furlongs, old course—Foxy Kane, 113; Young Henry, 112; Poseur and Beauregard, 110; Andrew Mack, 108; Seaforth, Mary Sloan and Tenny Belle, 103; Thistle Heather, 104.

Second race, maiden two-year-olds, five furlongs, old course—Yoeman, Limerick, Cedarstrome, Hawtrey, Chimney Sweep, Northville, Knight of Western, 112; Linda Rosa, Pat Dumphy, Ever Near, J. N. O'Brien, Smiling Alice, Courier, May Not, Grand Duchess, The Seer, Cabin, Tony Haskey, Novena, Garment, 109.

Third race, Columbia steeplechase, 2¼ miles—Lavator, 168; Conover, 166; Imperialist, 165; Black Death, 150; Walter Cleary, 148; Ivan, 142; Spencer Relff, 136; Gascar, 135; Perion, 132.

Fourth race, Columbia handicap, 7 furlongs, Columbia course—Ascension, 125; Lord Badge, 122; James F. Ellis, 117; Dismon, 115; Green Crest, 110; Warwhoop, 105; New York, 107; Minotaur, 106; Proceeds, 98; Race King, 97.

Fifth race, two-year-olds, 6½ furlongs—Columbia course—Amberjack Allumeur, 110; Myopia, Sheen, Tarpon, Scarecrow, 107; Cabin, 102.

Sixth race, three-year-olds and upward, one mile, Columbia course—Irish Witch, 107; Green Crest, 105, Arrahgowan, Unmasked, McWilliams, Thespian, 103; Baikal, 102; Eagle, 100; Queen Belle, 95; Woodshade, 90.

Juniors Have Signal Practice.

The Pittsburgh College Juniors were out for an hour's signal drill yesterday afternoon. Today the young collegians will have for opponents the Allegheny Tigers.

JAPANESE SPECIAL ENVOY RECEIVES AT WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—Prince Fushimi, the Japanese special envoy, received the diplomatic corps from 4 to 6 o'clock this afternoon. The ambassadors and ministers were accompanied by their staffs. The presentations were made by Mr. Hiokd, the Japanese charge d'affaires. The diplomats did not wear uniforms nor was the prince in full dress uniform for the reception. Tonight he was the guest at a dinner at the Japanese legation.

SHADYSIDE WILL PROTEST BAUER

Objects to High School Playing Her Old Quarterback in Saturday's Game.

W. U. P. PRACTICE PUNTING

Shadyside academy will protest Pittsburgh High school playing "Chuck" Bauer in their championship game Saturday. Bauer played quarterback on last year's team and did not re-enter school until yesterday.

Bauer's name was not on the list of players exchanged by the respective schools recently, and for that reason partly Shadyside will object to his being in the game. He was at practice yesterday at Friendship park, but did not have on a suit.

Capt. Arch Williams of Shadyside is ill with tonsilitis, and it is feared he may not be able to play on Saturday. The Shadyside coaches put the men through signal work yesterday. The practice was of a listless nature.

The High school first team lined up against the scrubs for one-half hour of hard defense work. The scrubs were given the ball and told to make touchdowns, but were unable to make much of an impression at penetrating the High school defense. Al Bialas, halfback, was not in the practice.

W. U. P.

Punting received much attention in the W. U. P. practice yesterday at Exposition park. Coach Mosse had the varsity play on the defense most of the time, and on the offense the object was to hold the line while Edgar got off the punts.

Edgar's punts averaged 40 yards, but Sullivan of the scrubs got the ball farther on an average of 10 yards. Jud Schmidt and Perry of the varsity were on the field, but neither took part in the practice. Schmidt's shoulder is rapidly mending and so is Perry's finger. Cree again played Perry's end yesterday.

Dr. John Martin, captain of the 1902 W. U. P. team, played at tackle for the scrubs yesterday, and was strong at carrying the ball. Miller, the scrubs' fullback, also tore up the varsity line for gains.

The athletic association has decided to keep the time honored "W. U. P." monogram on the sweaters instead of awarding a "P."

J. C. McCracken, the former U. of P. guard, was yesterday decided on an umpire for the State game. U. P. Young was selected as referee some time ago. The linesmen will be W. Pepperell of State and Hollenback of W. U. P. Foster of State and Wallace, a former W. U. P. captain, will be the linesmen.

Kiski Awards "K."

The Kiski eleven was banqueted last night at Saltsburg in honor of its having won the interscholastic football championship. The school letter "K" was awarded the players that took part in the Shadyside game of last Saturday, as follows: Capt. Gordon, Snow, Hedderick, Kumler, Pfeifer, Irons, Ed Corbett, McGregor, McCreight, Hacha, Urling, Davies and Wagner.

Athletics at Kiski now are at a low ebb, but after Thanksgiving basketball will be taken up. There is excellent material in school and there are visions of a championship five.

IGNORED BY GRAND JURY.

Bridgeville Man Accused of Fratricide Is Discharged from Custody at Washington.

WASHINGTON, PA., Nov. 16.—(Special.)—What promised to be a sensational murder case was ended abruptly today when George Gascos of Bridgeville, Allegheny county, charged with the murder of his brother, Charles Gascos, at California, this county, three years ago, was discharged, the grand jury ignoring the bill against him. Joseph Schimmel, also under arrest for the crime, was discharged, the grand jury failing to return a true bill against him.

Mrs. Amelia Hindal of Cecil, who has been in jail for several weeks charged with trying to murder her husband, was today committed to Dixmont hospital asylum, she having been adjudged insane by the court. Mrs. Hindal said that she had tried to kill her husband by reason of instructions received from a secret society in Pittsburgh to which she belonged.

PENN AVENUE POLICE STATION IS TOO SMALL

Superintendent of Police Wallace yesterday made a request to Director Moore to have the Penn avenue station house reconstructed. The present site at Twenty-sixth street is too small for the number of prisoners taken in there. Almost every day the station is overcrowded. The building was erected in 1871, and the site was loaned to the city by Mrs. Schenley. Superintendent Wallace wants to build a station house that will hold 75 prisoners.

FROM RAILROAD DESK TO UNIVERSITY POSITION

ATLANTA, GA., Nov. 16.—Lee McClung, who is attending a freight rate meeting here today, confirmed the report that he has resigned as assistant freight traffic manager of the Southern railway and has accepted the position of treasurer of Yale university, his alma mater.

Butler's New Theater Opened.

BUTLER, PA., Nov. 16.—(Special.) The social event of the year here was the opening this evening of the new Majestic theater. On November 20 of last year the Park theater was burned, injuring five firemen, and its successor lacks but three days of opening its doors on the anniversary of the fire. The Mummy and the Maid Company gave the initial performance to a large house.

LOU DILLON FAILED TO REACH FORMER MARK

All Conditions Were Perfect for the Trial, but All She Could Do Was 2:01 1-4.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

MEMPHIS, TENN., Nov. 16.—Weather and track conditions were almost perfect today, but Lou Dillon failed to equal her world's record of 2:01, made last Friday, trotting the unpaced mile in 2:01¼. The time by quarters was: :30¼, :59¾, 1:29½ 2:01¼.

Trainer Sanders, after today's effort, said that in his opinion Lou Dillon needed more work, and he announced that she would start again tomorrow, against 2:01.

The Billings mare got away at the first attempt. Sanders took her wide at the first turn, but hugged the rail down the back stretch. As the time clicked :59¾ at the half-mile post it was seen that the daughter of Sidney Dillon was stepping at a record-breaking clip. A runner accompanied Lou Dillon at the turn for home. Sanders urged the mare to a great effort down the stretch, but she tired perceptibly nearing the wire and passed the timers in 2:01¼.

BOTH FIGHTERS WON.

One Who Was First Counted Out Gets Another Chance and Wins the Decision on Points.

BOSTON, Nov. 16.—(Special.)—In the 10-round bout between Larry Connelly of Boston and Fred Bryson of Cambridge, before the Cambridge A. C., on Monday night, both men won. In the first round Bryson, who has a fine left hand, tried to reach his rival's jaw. As he did so Connelly made a rush, shoved Bryson's guard to one side, and dropped him to the floor with a stinging right on the jaw. Bryson was not unconscious, but simply dazed. He took the count, but misjudged the seconds. Instead of rising at the toll of nine, he stayed down until ten was counted. He was practically knocked out, and the referee declared Connelly the victor.

The crowd began filing out and Connelly, realizing that his victory was a fluke, agreed to meet his rival again. So the crowd returned and after 15 minutes' rest the scrap was resumed with the first victory going to Connelly's credit. The pair fought the entire 10 rounds. Bryson had all the better of the struggle from the opening round and got the verdict on points. So both men beat each other on the same night, a thing unparalleled in the history of the ring.

HAVE MET TO CONSIDER ACTION OF MARQUISE

Directors of Catholic University Gather in Building Founded by Woman Who Renounces Faith.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 16.—The board of directors of the Catholic University of America convened at the university today to consider matters of importance connected with the future of the institution. Chief of these were the renunciation of the Catholic creed by the Marquise des Monstiers, formerly Miss Mary Gwendolin Caldwell, whose generosity founded the university also the bankruptcy case of Thomas E. Waggaman, treasurer of the university, whose failure may seriously embarrass the board in providing finances for immediate use.

Over the door of the edifice in which the directors are meeting, carved in stone, is the name of the building, the date erected and Miss Caldwell's name, together with the announcement that she is the founder of the university. In the main reception room is a magnificent painting of Miss Caldwell, done in 1888, which bears this inscription: "Universitatis Fundatrix." Neither the painting nor the name of the Marquise over the door will be removed by the board until formal consideration has been given the case.

ANIMALS DIE IN FIRE.

Stable of the Acme Soda Water Company Is Badly Damaged and Big Loss May Result.

Four mules and one horse were killed in a fire which badly damaged the stable of the Acme Soda Water Company, at 313 Roberts street, last night. A lot of hay, feed and harness was also badly damaged. The fire resulted from hay being accidentally thrown against a lighted gas jet while the drivers were feeding the teams.

Jacob Seigle is at the head of the company and last night said he could not estimate the damage until today, as he had a number of fine soda fountains stored in the loft of the stable. One of these fountains, he said, is valued at $4,000, and it was impossible to learn in the darkness how badly the fountains are damaged. The blaze was extinguished by the firemen.

PARTING OF THE WAYS.

It Is Said to Be Near for Divisions Existing in the National Iron Founders.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 16.—The eighth annual convention of the National Iron Founders' association convened here today. The annual reports of President Isaac W. Frank of Pittsburgh, showed the organization to be in excellent financial condition and rapidly increasing in membership.

Commissioner O. P. Briggs in his annual report stated "the radical element is beginning to get control of the union, and it looks as if the parting of the ways is very near."

Miller Was Tired of Life.

James Miller, aged 62, an engineer of Leamington avenue, East End, attempted to commit suicide yesterday by cutting his throat with a penknife. He was removed to the East End Charity hospital and is in a precarious condition. Miller was in ill health.

MORE LIKE OPERA THAN HORSESHOW

Brilliant Crowd of 10,000 Persons Thronged the Ring at Gotham Exhibit.

JORDAN WINS MOST PRIZES

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—At the horse show in Madison Square garden this afternoon 10,000 persons witnessed the exhibition. The evening attendance was the largest and most brilliant so far this week. The attraction was the Waldorf-Astoria cup for gig horses.

For two hours the promenade presented a brilliant picture, changing incessantly. Good natured crowds, drawn from every walk in life, elbowed their way around the concourse seeking a vantage point. The occupants of the boxes held informal receptions, and the occasion seemed more like an entire act at the opera than an exhibition of horses.

The first big class event of the afternoon was the champion prize of $200 for mares which had been blue ribbon takers in other classes of this year's show. Queen Welcome, one of the string brought here from England by Robert Whitworth took first honor, the reserve ribbon going to Eben D. Jordan's Mistress Marjorie.

The most important prize awarded this week, the Challenge cup, went to Mr. Jordan's black hackney stallion, Gentleman John. As this horse won the cup last year, today's victory gives Mr. Jordan permanent possession of the trophy.

Lord Brilliant, Mrs. John Gerson's chestnut gelding, one of last year's Blue ribbon winners, won first honor in the class for horses attached to runabouts, over Mrs. J. B. M. Grosvenor's horse Elevation, and Alfred G. Vanderbilt's Lady Katherin, out of a field of 20 competitors.

An interesting event was the four-in-hand contest between Mrs. Grosvenor and Miss Ella S. Ross of England, which was won by the former. The Corinthian class of jumpers was won by Mrs. Thomas Hitchcock, Jr., with Kingsman.

Eben D. Jordan has won the most prizes this week. His horses have taken 10 blue ribbons, three seconds and one third.

Ten horses appeared as contestants for the Waldorf-Astoria cup. Eben D. Jordan's Hildred was declared the winner, with Burlingham, the property of James Abbott Moore of Chicago, the reserve.

Among the well-known people present were the duke and duchess of Manchester, Mrs. George Law of Paris, Mrs. Thomas F. Walsh of Washington, Mrs. Joseph Widener, Jr., and Mrs. E. M. Robinson of Philadelphia.

RHODES BUYS INCLINE PLANE.

Property at Seventeenth Street Brings $80,000 at Trustees' Sale.

Joshua Rhodes, at trustees' sale yesterday morning, bought the Penn Incline Plane Company's plant and property for $80,000.

Mr. Rhodes made the only bid for the incline, the amount being $75,000. Following this sale, 15 lots at the head of the incline were offered, and there was spirited bidding between Mr. Rhodes and George Eberhardt for these. The price was run up from the original offer of $1,000 to $5,000, and the sale to Mr. Rhodes was finally made at the latter figure.

The buyer stated that he had not determined what plans would be pursued by the incline as yet.

WOMAN DIES NOT KNOWING OF HER HUSBAND'S DEATH

Mrs. Lucinda Wood, aged 78, died at the home of her son, B. Rush Wood, in Walnut Grove, McKeesport, last night. For a month Mrs. Wood lay sick in bed, and as her death seemed certain the news of her husband's death, which occurred a month ago, was not imparted to her and she died thinking he was still living. She is survived by the following children: John A. B. Rush, of McKeesport; Mrs. C. M. Rodgers of Oklahoma, and George M. of Springdale.

INDIANS WILL STARVE.

Unless Relief Comes, Campora Reservationists Will All Be Dead by New Year's.

SAN DIEGO, CAL., Nov. 16.—Indian Agent Charles E. Schell of Pala and Charles F. Lummis, the well-known author, have spent six days among the 200 Indians on the Campora reservation in this county. No rain has fallen to start the seed planted, and the Indians are now subsisting chiefly on acorns.

"Unless relief comes," said Mr. Lummis, "all the Indians will be dead before New Year's day."

COURT IS FAVORABLE TO INGERSOLL'S WIDOW

BOSTON, MASS., Nov. 16.—The United States circuit court of appeals today refused to interfere with the preliminary injunction issued by the circuit court in the case of Mrs. Eva A. Ingersoll, widow of Col. Robert G. Ingersoll against Joseph Corum and others. Mrs. Ingersoll sued to recover a fee for legal services performed by her late husband.

WOODEN-LEGGED MAN AND STREET CAR STOPPED HORSE

A man with a wooden leg and a street car were both needed to give a quietus to the excited nerves of a horse attached to an Adams Express Company wagon in Penn avenue last evening. At Penn avenue and Thirteenth street, Frank Mulvihill of 1128 Penn avenue, who wears an artificial leg, dared to rush in front of the runaway horse and brought him to a stop. A few minutes later the horse again took fright and threw the wagon across the street car track in front of a street car. Only slight damage was done.

THESPIANS FIND ROUGH SLEDDING ON THE ROAD

"Way Down on the Farm" Company Encounters Hard Streak and Is Stranded in Allegheny.

It must have been a poor season for the "Way Down On the Farm" theatrical company. The organization went broke yesterday in Allegheny. The company left Butler on Sunday afternoon. Sunday was passed at the Hotel Brunswick, Federal and Isabella streets, and during Monday and Tuesday five men and four maidens lounged idly about, "just taking a vacation," they said. Their destination, according to their manager, F. Mortimer Mitchell, was Newark, O., where they were to play the remainder of the week.

However, these airs of prosperity and ease caused suspicion to the management of the Brunswick, and on Tuesday night Manager Mitchell was asked to settle with the house. Then the little band went to bed. Early yesterday morning Manager Mitchell arose and after eating a big breakfast remarked that he was going up to the postoffice. The Brunswick management had several employes searching the government building yesterday but no trace of Mitchell was found. He was as eagerly sought by the members of the company, who have been playing for nothing but their board for four weeks, according to the stories they tell.

The hotel people seized the baggage belonging to the stranded ones and will hold it until the bill is settled. During the hours of daylight yesterday four young men and an equal number of young women walked about town wondering how they would ever get back to the farm.

New Concern for Scottdale.

CONNELLSVILLE, PA., Nov. 16.—(Special.)—The United States Casket Company, with a capital stock of $100,000, will locate in Scottdale. Pittsburgh men are at the head of the new project. Albert H. Kelley is president, Wesley Kelley is vice president and general manager and William N. Kelley, head of the casket department of the National Casket Company in Pittsburgh, assistant manager; John Stolz of Pittsburgh, secretary, and William Ferguson of Scottdale, treasurer.

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SOCIETY

THE wedding of Miss Ellen Mendenhall Metcalf, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Metcalf, and William Gregg Doolittle last evening was attended by many interesting and unusual features. The wedding, which took place at the home of the bride's parents, Fulton and Cliff streets, is the first one in the Metcalf family taking place in a house, all the other sons and daughters having been married in their churches.

The bridal train was an interesting one. Four little nieces of the bride, Miss Alix and Miss Helen Metcalf, and Miss Hilda Metcalf and Miss Marjorie Skelding, carried the white satin cords which formed the aisle from the door of the drawing room to the improvised altar at the rear. The two smaller children, Hilda and Helen, advanced to each side of the white satin prie dieu while the others stood at the turn of the aisle. The maid of honor, Miss Sarah Scott, immediately preceded the three bridesmaids, Miss Clara Hussey, Miss Eda Young and Miss Christine Metcalf, a niece of the bride, they in turn being followed by the bride on the arm of her father. At the altar were the bridegroom, his best man, Harry P. Doolittle of Washington, D. C., and the officiating clergyman, the Rev. Dr. Edward H. Ward, rector of St. Peter's Protestant Episcopal church. Eight o'clock was the hour set for the ceremony, which was witnessed only by the relatives of the bridal couple and those of their friends who would have been members of the bridal party if the wedding had been a church affair as originally planned.

The bride's gown, beautifully fashioned of white satin mousseline, was trimmed with her mother's wedding veil of French applique, cut to form a bertha effect on the bodice and a panel on the skirt-front. The sleeves were finished with a very full puff of chiffon. Orange blossoms fastened the tulle veil and the bridal bouquet was of white roses in shower effect. The bridesmaids wore low neck gowns of pink mousseline, trimmed with shirring and lace, and carried yellow roses. The little ribbon bearers were in fanny frocks of white batiste over pink slips with trimming of valenciennes lace. They also wore large pink bows in their hair and the two larger ones had sashes to match.

The wedding, although small on account of the death of the bridegroom's father, had artistic appointments. The house, which is one of the very oldest in the city, lends itself admirably to floral decorations and last evening presented a beautiful appearance. The old fashioned winding stairs with their narrow banisters were almost hidden under the thick trailing smilax, palms, ferns and white chrysanthemums surrounded by a white wicker fence and the satin prie dieu was covered with asparagus plumosa. The same delicate fern adorned all the lights and smilax was draped over the window curtains. Yellow chrysanthemums were used in the library, in the dining room adjoining and also on the bride's table. The guests at the table included the members of the bridal party and the men who would have been ushers at the church. They were William A. Blakeley, Edward Vaill, Martyn Coster, Mr. Viele, William Metcalf, Jr., and Stuart Holdship Robinson. The wedding presents occupied a room on the second floor and among them was Mrs. Metcalf's gift, the linen for the new home in Howe street, where Mr. and Mrs. Doolittle will be at home after their wedding trip. Mrs. Horace Beal, whose namesake the bride is, presented a small silver service consisting of pitcher, bowl and spoons; Mrs. William H. Doolittle of Washington, D. C., mother of the bridegroom, gave a beautiful tea service; an uncle of the bride, J. W. Paul, giving a chest of flat silver. Mr. Metcalf's gift to his daughter was a suite of dining room furniture in mahogany. Mr. and Mrs. William Metcalf, Jr., gave a silver platter with vegetable dishes to match.

Ayres-King.

Miss Marjorie Lawrence Ayres, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Goshorn Ayres of Sharpsburg and Dr. Edward Duff King of this city were married last evening at the Hotel Schenley, the Rev. Lyman E. Davis, pastor of Grace church, Sharpsburg, officiating. The attendants included the maid of honor, Miss Martha King; the flower girls, Miss Jean Burns Kirk, Miss Robina Laurie Kirk and Miss Christine Walsh; the best man, Charles King, and the ushers, Arthur W. Ayres, George N. Ayres, Paul Ache, Herbert Hess, Charles Lawrence and Dr. Frederick Stewart, the last of Chicago. The bride wore a gown of white mousseline and rose point lace, her veil was fastened with orange blossoms and her bouquet was a shower of lilies of the valley and white orchids. Miss King appeared in a gown of pink chiffon cloth trimmed with point d'Alencon lace and carried a bouquet of farleyense fern and pink roses. The little flower girls wore frocks of pink accordion plaited crepe de d'angelo. They carried white lace hats filled with pink sweet peas. After the wedding supper the bridal couple began their eastern wedding trip. They will spend the winter in Pasadena, Cal. Dr. King is a nephew of Mrs. Alexander King of "Baywood," North Negley avenue, and the bride is a granddaughter of the late Arthur Kirk of Sharpsburg.

Lockard-Pennington.

INDIANA, PA., Nov. 16.—(Special.)—A brilliant November wedding occurred here today when Miss Effie L. Pennington became the bride of Mr. Harry L. Lockard of Ashtabula, O. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Pennington, in the presence of 100 guests. Miss Opal Culler of Pittsburgh was maid of honor; Misses Edna Wilson and Clara Detwiler were bridesmaids; William A. Braughler of Turtle Creek was groomsman and Misses Marie McKeon and Katherine Miranda of Indiana were flower girls.

Reception at the Conservatory.

The directors and faculty of the Pittsburgh Conservatory of Music, Dithridge street, near Fifth avenue, Beveridge Webster, director, will hold a reception for the students and their friends at the conservatory hall next Saturday evening at 8:30 o'clock.

Rowan-Smith.

A quiet but very pretty home wedding yesterday was that of Miss Edith Augusta Rowan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Rowan of Edmund street, this city, and Washington Jarvis Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony W. Smith of "Rose Ridge," Mt. Washington. The Rev. W. K. Giese performed the ceremony at 5:30 o'clock, with only the immediate relatives as witnesses. Miss Vera Miles Smith, a sister of the bridegroom, was the bride's maid of honor and only attendant, her brother, Clarence Rowan, serving as best man. The bride wore a beautiful gown of white crepe de chine and a new idea was introduced in her bouquet of white violets and lilies of the valley. It was tied with white chiffon, and over long sprays of the lilies hanging on their own stems dropped the violets. Miss Smith, in a dainty gown of pink organdie, carried pink roses and white hyacinths. Later in the day Mr. and Mrs. Smith left for their wedding journey through the west and south, at the conclusion of which they will be at home with Mr. and Mrs. Rowan until spring, when they expect to go to housekeeping.

Feinaugle-Coleman.

Miss Martha Helen Feinaugle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Feinaugle, and Bernard Coleman, both of Ingram, were united in marriage at St. Philips' church, Crafton, yesterday morning at 9:30 o'clock. The Rev. William C. Kelty officiated and Miss Camille Hays presided at the organ. The bride entered on the arm of her father and met the bridegroom at the altar, Miss Mary Coleman, a sister of the groom, attending the bride as maid of honor. Frank Coleman acted as best man. The ushers were Lee Feinaugle, James Coleman, F. E. Coleman and John Coleman. A large reception followed the ceremony at the home of the bride's parents, where the young couple later will be at home to their friends.

Quiet Wedding This Evening.

On account of two recent deaths in the family of the bride, the marriage of Miss Helen Johnson and Harry E. Umhey will be very quietly solemnized this evening at the home of the bride's brother, Dr. George Coffin Johnston, in Dennison avenue, Squirrel Hill. The Rev. George E. Sehlbrede, a brother-in-law of the bride, will perform the ceremony at 7:45 o'clock, and the guests will include only the members of the two families.

An Out-of-Town Wedding.

Many Pittsburgh and Allegheny people are interested in the wedding of Miss Emma Virginia Pearson, the third daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick F. Pearson of Lockwood, Mo., and Ora Cleon Burns, which took place last evening at the home of the bride's parents. Mr. Pearson is a former Allegheny man, a brother of ex-Mayor Richard Pearson. Mrs. W. L. Meyrick and Mrs. Walter C. Smarts all of Allegheny.

Will See the Unveiling.

A party of Germans will leave tomorrow night for Washington to be present at the unveiling of the statue of Frederick the Great at the invitation of the secretary of war. The ceremonies will be in the afternoon on Saturday, and in the evening there will be a dinner and reception at the Imperial German embassy. In the party will be Dr. and Mrs. Fischer, G. A. Schmidt, H. W. Klein and Richard A. Skalweit.

Tea for Daughters-in-Law.

Mrs. Alexander M. Speer of Center avenue will send out cards today for a tea which she will give from 4 until 6 o'clock on Wednesday afternoon, November 23. The honors of the occasion will be shared by the two daughters-in-law of the hostess, Mrs. Alexander M. Speer, Jr., and Mrs. J. Bissell Speer, both of whom are recent brides. Mrs. Alexander Speer, Jr., was Miss Sallie Speer Dunbar before her wedding last spring, and her sister-in-law will be remembered as Miss Helen Stockton Cook, a bride of last month. Mrs. Speer's assistants will be selected from the younger members of her large family connection.

Luncheon for Miss MacKnight.

Mrs. Charles MacKnight of Glen Osborne entertained yesterday afternoon with a pretty little luncheon in honor of her cousin, Miss Kate MacKnight of Allegheny. Covers were laid for eight guests besides the honor guests, including Mrs. Edward A. Woods, Mrs. Alexander Robinson, Mrs. A. B. Harlow, Mrs. Robert Wardrop and Mrs. S. B. M. Hooker.

Miss Dick's Wedding Plans.

The wedding of Miss Harriet A. Dick of Meadville and Joseph Macknight Speer of Pittsburgh will take place on December 19 at 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon in Christ's church in Meadville. The wedding will be a small one.

Notes of Society.

Mrs. R. C. Hall of the Bellefield apartments gave the second in her series of at homes yesterday afternoon.

The ingathering of the Suburban General Hospital club of Avalon was held yesterday. Linen, fruits, etc., and $321 in money were collected.

The director and faculty of the Pittsburgh Conservatory of Music, Dithridge street, have issued invitations for a reception for the students and their friends on Saturday evening.

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The conditions governing this contest follow. No answer which does not exactly conform to them will be considered.

All answers must be upon GAZETTE blanks, which will be printed with each Proverb Picture. Only one answer will be allowed on each blank.

ANSWERS MUST NOT BE SENT IN UNTIL THE CLOSE OF THE CONTEST. But all answers must be in The Gazette office within six days after the last Proverb Picture is printed.

The blank forms will be numbered and answers must be neatly arranged in numerical order by the contestants. At the close of the contest answers should be sent by mail, post paid, addressed to Manager Proverb Contest, THE GAZETTE, PITTSBURGH, PA., or they may be left in sealed envelopes at our Business Office, Wood Street and Oliver Avenue, addressed as above.

Do not send the pictures. SEND ONLY THE ANSWER BLANK. The blanks may be filled out in any legible way.

Contestants may send in as many sets of answers as they please, but each set must be in a different envelope. Each set will be treated separately, BUT NO CONTESTANT WILL BE AWARDED MORE THAN ONE PRIZE. Contestants may send in duplicate answers to the same Proverb Problem, but they must be on separate blanks; that is, they may fill out two or more No. 1s or 2s, etc. These duplicates must be kept together in making up the sets of answers.

Contestants may secure assistance from any source. Everybody is eligible except employes of The Pittsburgh Gazette.

The manager of the Proverb Contest distinctly reserves the right to make any change in or addition to these conditions that he may deem necessary for properly conducting the contest.

The thirty proverbs which will comprise the series have been selected from standard authorities, and the list on which the prizes will be awarded has been sealed and placed in the care of Mr. H. C. McEldowney, President of The Union Trust Co., and will not be opened until the time arrives for awarding the prizes.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

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RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$11,410,078 25
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		57 21
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		220,000 00
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits		150,000 00
Stocks, securities, etc		1,445,860 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		500,000 00
Other real estate owned		28,281
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	$ 379,371 47	
Due from state banks and bankers	877,380 59	
Due from approved reserve agents	1,686,146 80	
		3,042,898 35
Checks and other cash items	37,781 12	
Exchanges for clearing house	370,641 80	
Bills of other national banks	50,000 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	1,069 53	
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	1,653,900 00	
Legal-tender notes	435,300 00	
		2,588,662 57
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)		10,000 00
Total		$19,831,784 07

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in		$ 1,000,000 00
Surplus fund		2,000,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		376,512 03
		2,376,512 03
National bank notes outstanding		320,000 00
Due to other national banks (not approved agents)	$ 3,681,093 44	
Due to state banks and bankers	951,414 54	
Dividends unpaid	430 00	
Individual deposits subject to check	11,248,676 06	
Demand certificates of deposit	1,700 00	
Certified checks	176,604 55	
Cashier's checks outstanding	185,341 45	
U. S. deposits	180,000 00	
		15,835,272 04
Total		$19,531,784 07

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss.: I, F. H. Skelding, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. F. H. SKELDING, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of November, 1904.
M. L. NEWELL, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
WILSON MILLER,
P. L. ROBBINS,
CHAS. B. SPEER,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

GERMAN NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, November 10, 1904:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$3,232,829 18
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		66
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		500,000 00
Premium on U. S. bonds		39,500 00
Stocks, securities, etc		274,784 05
Other real estate and mortgages owned		10,000 00
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	$ 75,011 10	
Due from state banks and bankers	84,263 40	
Due from approved reserve agents	418,012 41	
		577,287 00
Checks and other cash items	14,865 20	
Exchanges for clearing house	89,463 02	
Notes of other national banks	18,000 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	745 88	
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	232,000 00	
Legal-tender notes	168,000 00	
		517,075 10
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		25,000 00
Total		$5,176,466 34

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 500,000 00
Surplus fund		500,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		155,820 46
National bank notes outstanding		495,000 00
Due to other national banks	$ 442,534 55	
Due to state banks and bankers	288,341 11	
Due to trust companies and savings banks	509,638 46	
Dividends unpaid	583 50	
Individual deposits subject to check	1,906,275 55	
Demand certificates of deposit	3,100 00	
Certified checks	8,225 58	
Cashier's checks outstanding	96,947 15	
		3,525,645 88
Total		$5,176,466 34

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss: I, W. W. Ramsey, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. W. W. RAMSEY, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 15th day of November, 1904.
H. T. MORRIS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
E. H. MYERS,
C. A. FAGAN,
A. A. FRAUENHEIM,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

FARMERS DEPOSIT NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 10, 1904:

RESOURCES.

Loans & discounts	$12,618,068 23	
Investment securities	2,954,978 10	
		$15,573,046 33
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		552 81
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		500,000 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		4,914,494 09
Other real estate and mortgages owned		51,850 10
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)		781,122 24
Due from state banks and bankers		185,870 06
Due from approved reserve agents		5,334,365 45
Checks and other cash items		58,627 62
Exchanges for clearing house		342,309 42
Bills of other national banks		20,360 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		1,062 48
Lawful money reserve in bank viz:		
Specie	$1,514,617 50	
Legal-tender notes	500,000 00	
		2,014,617 50
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		25,000 00
Total		$27,774,275 09

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in		$ 800,000 00
Surplus fund		4,100,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		2,064,170 75
National bank notes outstanding		492,950 00
Due to other national banks (not approved reserve agents)		3,241,415 21
Due to state banks and bankers		963,289 07
Due to trust companies and savings banks		2,048,797 22
Due to approved reserve agents		28,782 11
Dividends unpaid		136 00
Individual deposits subject to check		13,380,484 93
Cashier's checks outstanding		156,279 40
Total		$27,774,275 09

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss: I, J. W. Fleming, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. W. FLEMING, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of November, 1904.
W. BAKER, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
T. H. GIVEN,
D. C. NOBLE,
HAY WALKER, JR.,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

ALLEGHENY NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania at the close of business, November 10, 1904:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$3,120,614 90
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		2,279 85
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		150,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		7,500 00
Stocks and securities		4,500 00
Investment securities		386,417 22
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		20,000 00
Other real estate and mortgages owned		11,464 94
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	$ 54,807 14	
Due from state banks and bankers	17,362 87	
Due from approved reserve agents	165,622 45	
		237,292 46
Checks and other cash items	6,211 44	
Exchanges for clearing house	131,368 21	
Notes of other national banks	88,723 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	246 12	
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:		
Specie	570,020 90	
Legal-tender notes	175,000 00	
		931,189 67
Redemption fund with U. S treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		7,500 00
Total		$4,928,758 54

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 300,000 00
Surplus fund		600,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		103,491 46
National bank notes outstanding		149,997 50
Due to other national banks	$ 389,889 78	
Due to state banks and bankers	69,651 70	
Dividends unpaid	2,686 00	
Individual deposits subject to check	2,976,740 99	
Demand certificates of deposit	19,200 00	
Time certificates of deposit	5,000 00	
Certified checks	8,808 15	
Cashier's checks outstanding	155,413 08	
		3,578,329 58
Total		$4,928,758 54

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss: I, W. Montgomery, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. W. MONTGOMERY, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of November, 1904.
H. T. MORRIS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
WILLIAM STEWART,
WALTER CHESS,
THOS. EVANS,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

NATIONAL BANK OF WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 10, 1904:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$2,884,829 21
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		1,545 10
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		500,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		20,709 36
Stocks, securities, etc		191 187 32
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		173 500 00
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	$185,487 40	
Due from state banks and bankers	38,460 77	
Due from approved reserve agents	563,187 43	
Checks and other cash items	4,238 54	
Exchanges for clearing house	125,668 25	
Bills of other national banks	22,400 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	1,305 90	
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	329,044 85	
Legal-tender notes	43,160 00	
		$1,312,848 14
Redemption fund with U. S treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		25,000 00
Due from U. S. treasurer, other than 5 per cent redemption fund		10,500 00
Total		$5,046,219 23

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 500,000 00
Surplus fund		400,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		66,683 04
National bank notes outstanding		500,000 00
Due to other national banks (not approved reserve agents)	$ 782,960 17	
Due to state banks and bankers	18,892 31	
Due to trust companies and savings banks	37,209 75	
Individual deposits subject to check	2,706,901 60	
Demand certificates of deposit	6,767 50	
Certified checks	3,157 07	
Cashier's checks outstanding	37,647 89	
		3,573,536 29
Total		$5,046,219 33

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss: I, George S. Macrum, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. GEO. S. MACRUM, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 15th day of November, 1904.
H. T. MORRIS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
CHARLES M'KNIGHT,
JOSEPH B. SHEA,
GEO. H. FLINN,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

INDUSTRIAL NATIONAL BANK

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 10, 1904.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$1,656,178 86
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		2,018 65
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		100,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		5,562 50
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		386,247 88
Other real estate owned		6,052 22
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)		43,423 20
Due from state banks and bankers		83,245 08
Due from approved reserve agents		120,206 44
Checks and other cash items		8,782 08
Exchanges for clearing house		47,207 97
Bills of other national banks		3,000 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		285 85
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	$15,904 00	
Legal-tender notes	88,291 00	
		104,195 00
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer, (5 per cent of circulation)		5,000 00
Due from U. S. treasurer, other than 5 per cent redemption fund		600 00
Total		$2,572,044 80

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 800,000 00
Surplus fund		200,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		43,304 83
National bank notes outstanding		100,000 00
Due to other national banks (not approved reserve agents)	$ 164,702 88	
Due to state banks and bankers	16,626 62	
Due to trust companies and savings banks	41,626 61	
Individual deposits subject to check	1,065,870 71	
Time certificates of deposit	10,700 00	
Certified checks	5,564 34	
Cashier's checks outstanding	451 82	
		1,304,639 98
Liabilities other than those above stated: Purchase money mortgage		125,000 00
Total		$2,572,944 80

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss: I, C. M. Gerwig, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. C. M. GERWIG, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of November, 1904.
WILLIS L. CORNELL, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
JNO. W. GARLAND,
A. R. HAMILTON,
E. C. KLEINMAN,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

MELLON NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 10, 1904:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$15,555,640 48
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		40 44
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		1,450,000 00
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits		600,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		104,531 70
Bonds, securities, etc		1,290,486 85
Other real estate owned		4,000 00
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)		474,798 55
Due from state banks and bankers		384,678 54
Due from approved reserve agents		3,106,650 78
Checks and other cash items		34,002 24
Exchanges for clearing house		881,088 09
Notes of other national banks		84,000 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		1,018 48
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:		
Specie	$15,000 00	
Legal-tender notes	615,000 00	
		2,220,000 00
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		72,500 00
Due from U. S. treasurer, other than 5 per cent redemption fund		65,000 00
Total		$29,328,808 43

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 2,000,000 00
Surplus fund		750,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		131,109 85
National bank notes outstanding		1,450,000 00
Due to other national banks		4,856,676 50
Due to state banks and bankers		1,453,382 57
Due to trust companies and savings banks		2,468,652 88
Due to approved reserve agents		538,143 65
Individual deposits subject to check		11,173,668 08
Time certificates of deposit		846,823 47
Certified checks		59,544 71
Cashier's checks outstanding		28,822 62
United States deposits		200,846 59
Deposits of U. S. disbursing officers		229,153 64
U. S. bonds, etc		200,000 00
Reserve for taxes		15,062 34
Discount collected but not earned		123,288 66
Total		$29,328,808 43

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss: I, W. S. Mitchell, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. W. S. MITCHELL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of November, 1904.
DE WALDT J. HICKS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
A. W. MELLON,
A. C. KNOX,
H. C. McELDOWNEY,
Directors.

Condition of the National Banks at Close of Business November 10, 1904.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

METROPOLITAN NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 10, 1904.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$1,137,695 12
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		4,513 40
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		400,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		12,511 52
Bonds, securities, etc		11,408 98
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		27,000 00
Other real estate owned		40,950 45
New bank building		76,213 07
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)		1,106 71
Due from approved reserve agents		82,022 43
Checks and other cash items		14,844 31
Exchanges for clearing house		2,506 55
Notes of other national banks		1,000 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		475 62
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:		
Specie	$24,966 55	
Legal-tender notes	49,000 00	
		73,966 55
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		11,500 00
Total		$1,807,814 75

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 400,000 00
Surplus fund		300,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		59,818 05
National bank notes outstanding		400,000 00
Due to other national banks	$ 18,995 79	
Due to trust companies and savings banks	35,448 66	
Dividends unpaid	148 00	
Individual deposits, subject to check	679,155 38	
Time certificates of deposit	3,900 00	
Cashier's checks outstanding	847 97	
		738,495 80
Total		$1,897,814 75

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss.:

I, George Seebick, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. GEO. SEEBICK, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of November, 1904.

J. B. RICHARDS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

M. C. CAMERON,
ROBT. OSTERMAIER,
A. H. NELSON,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

FORT PITT NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 10, 1904.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$3,306,585 68
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		5,500 06
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		99,000 00
U. S. bonds to secure circulation taken from Fifth National bank		25,000 00
Stocks, securities, etc		101,132 50
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		917 08
Other real estate owned		4,861 54
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)		108,384 25
Due from state banks and bankers		8,340 43
Due from approved reserve agents		76,960 31
Checks and other cash items		4,552 28
Exchanges for clearing house		117,737 08
Bills of other national banks		3,896 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		92 38
Lawful money reserve in bank viz:		
Specie	$240,679 75	
Legal-tender notes	80,000 00	
		320,679 75
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		3,000 00
Redemption fund taken from Fifth National bank		1,250 00
Total		$4,147,217 22

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$1,000,000 00
Surplus fund		1,000,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		15,164 22
National bank notes outstanding		58,000 00
Circulation of Fifth National bank		25,000 00
Due to other national banks (not approved reserve agents)	$ 161,399 40	
Due to state banks and bankers	16,756 16	
Due to trust companies and savings banks	146,529 44	
Individual deposits subject to check	1,490,281 20	
Cashier's checks outstanding	224,486 80	
		2,048,453 00
Total		$4,147,217 22

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss.:

I, Chas. S. Lindsay, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. CHAS. S. LINDSAY, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of November, 1904.

I. M. FICKEISEN, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

GEO. I. WHITNEY,
R. S. ROBB,
ANDREW W. HERRON,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

FEDERAL NATIONAL BANK,

At Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, November 10, 1904:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$2,857,966 54
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		25 68
U. S. bonds, to secure circulation		700,000 00
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits		50,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		54,704 39
Bonds, securities, etc		296,000 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		31,320 49
Other real estate owned		625 18
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)		173,130 83
Due from state banks and bankers		108 59
Due from approved reserve agents		153,529 56
Checks and other cash items		19,508 50
Exchanges for clearing house		53,072 44
Notes of other national banks		16,823 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		809 25
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:		
Specie	$112,272 20	
Legal-tender notes	100,000 00	
		212,272 20
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		35,000 00
Total		$4,735,077 15

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$1,000,000 00
Surplus fund		1,000,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		222,532 66
National bank notes outstanding		700,000 00
Due to other national banks	$ 335,549 40	
Due to state banks and bankers	76,464 14	
Due to trust companies and savings banks	116,760 20	
Dividends unpaid	241 50	
Individual deposits subject to check	1,184,920 10	
Demand certificates of deposit	37,468 22	
Certified checks	20,787 84	
Cashier's checks outstanding	415 00	
U. S. deposits	40,000 00	
		1,812,544 40
Total		$4,735,077 15

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss.:

I, H. M. Landis, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. H. M. LANDIS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of November, 1904.

J. O. M'CORMICK, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

EDWARD PITCAIRN,
J. H. PRICE,
J. L. COOPER,
Directors.

FINANCIAL.

ADDITIONAL CAPITAL SUPPLIED. LEGITIMATE ENTERPRISES FINANCED. STOCKS AND BONDS UNDERWRITTEN AND GUARANTEED.

We will assist corporations and individuals in procuring capital, if the proposition is based on conservative lines.

We give our clients the benefit of our connections in different financial centers, and advertise and place their securities on sale in all our offices at once. Call or write.

CORPORATION FINANCE COMPANY, 400 Grant st., Pittsburgh, Pa.

WANTED—10,000 to 20,000 shares of Pittsburgh Con. M. & P. Co. stock; state lowest price for cash. Address F. S., care Peete & Abrahams, Continental building, Denver, Col.

FOUND.

FOUND—There is only one place in town where the new process for cleaning is in vogue. Linnekin's have it. It cleans men's and women's clothing perfectly at small cost. E. J. LINNEKIN COMPANY, General Dyers and Cleaners. Main Office, 502 Federal St., Allegheny. Branch Offices, 606 Penn Ave. (opposite Horne's) and 127 South Highland Ave., East End, Pittsburgh.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

SECOND NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 10, 1904:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 5,841,034 06
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		83 00
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		600,000 00
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits		370,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		102,862 50
Stocks, securities, etc		4,851,367 29
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		280,000 00
Other real estate owned		16,903 31
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	$ 644,453 24	
Due from state banks and bankers	204,893 39	
Due from approved reserve agents	1,080,427 57	
		2,619,780 20
Checks and other cash items		32,968 63
Exchanges for clearing house		691,001 68
Bills of other national banks		10,500 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		1,501 54
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	829,500 00	
Legal tender notes	594,500 00	
		1,990,061 85
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent circulation)		30,000 00
Due from U. S. treasurer, other than 5 per cent redemption fund		8,000 00
Total		$15,880,092 81

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 600,000 00
Surplus fund		2,500,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		746,536 23
National bank notes outstanding		596,130 00
Due to other national banks (not approved reserve agents)	$4,101,148 00	
Due to state banks and bankers	636,561 42	
Due to trust companies and savings banks	565,785 86	
Due to approved reserve agents	319,666 31	
Dividends unpaid	2,652 50	
Individual deposits, subject to check	5,546,852 05	
Demand certificates of deposit	20,867 47	
Certified checks	47,205 07	
Cashier's checks outstanding	27,657 90	
U. S. deposits	370,000 00	
		11,437,606 58
Total		$15,880,092 81

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, James M. Young, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. JAMES M. YOUNG, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of November, 1904.

WILLIS L. CORNELL, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

H. C. BUGHMAN,
R. D. ELWOOD,
WM. M. KENNEDY,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITINO OF THE

MONONGAHELA NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 10, 1904:

RESOURCES.

Investment securities		$ 245,000 00
Loans and discounts		4,262,239 90
		$4,507,239 90
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		1,383 43
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		100,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		5,000 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		264,613 46
Other real estate and mortgages owned		15,551 70
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	$145,415 03	
Due from state banks and bankers	402,729 39	
Due from approved reserve agents	202,179 43	
Checks and other cash items	10,707 43	
Exchanges for clearing house	111,248 72	
Bills of other national banks	10,200 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	1,176 41	
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:		
Specie	220,085 00	
Legal-tender notes	178,304 00	
		1,571,135 41
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer, (5 per cent. of circulation).		5,000 00
Due from U. S. treasurer, other than 5 per cent redemption fund.		600 00
Total		$6,569,923 50

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$1,000,000 00
Surplus fund		1,500,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		190,117 83
National bank notes outstanding		100,000 00
Due to other national banks (not approved reserve agents)	$ 402,276 14	
Due to state banks and bankers	38,043 24	
Due to trust companies and savings banks	644,855 85	
Dividends unpaid	32 00	
Individual deposits, subject to check	2,417,889 29	
Time certificates of deposit	36,545 00	
Certified checks	90,693 55	
Cashier's checks outstanding	124,500 00	
		3,779,806 07
Notes and bills rediscounted		100,000 00
Total		$6,569,923 50

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, A. H. Patterson, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. A. H. PATTERSON, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of November, 1904.

O. S. RICHARDSON, Notary Public.

(My commission expires March 29, 1907.)

Correct—Attest:

ROBT. JENKINS, JR.
JAMES M'KAY,
WM. MUNHALL,
Directors.

PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS—Bids are hereby called for by the borough of Esplen for five hundred (500) feet of hose for the Esplen fire department, the borough reserving the right to reject any or all bids. All bids hereon must be sent to Percy F. Golding, Clerk, 239 Ridge street, Esplen, on or before November 30, 1904. Bids must describe kind and character of hose.

EXCURSIONS.

CLARK'S cruise, Mediterranean Orient, February 2, 1905; visiting Madeira, Canary Is., Seville, Algeria, Malta, Greece, Turkey, Egypt, etc., 70 days, $400 and upward. Illustrated program free from Wm. M. Bell, Times Building, Pittsburgh.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

GERMAN NATIONAL BANK,

at Allegheny, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, November 10, 1904:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$ 922,855 36	
Stocks, securities, etc.	1,465,556 31	
		$2,388,411 67
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		148 44
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		200,000 00
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits		300,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		28,702 59
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		27,000 00
Other real estate owned		22,250 00
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)		10,602 30
Due from state banks and bankers		126,693 93
Due from approved reserve agents		805,460 85
Checks and other cash items		17,256 39
Notes of other national banks		10,000 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		1,414 70
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	$212,316 50	
Legal-tender notes	25,000 00	
		237,316 50
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation).		10,000 00
Total		$4,245,459 47

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 200,000 00
Surplus fund		700,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		101,619 82
National bank notes outstanding		197,100 00
Dividends unpaid		918 00
Due to trust companies and savings banks	$ 25,101 85	
Individual deposits subject to check	2,716 458 37	
Demand certificates of deposit	1,534 10	
Certified checks	1,566 16	
Cashier's checks outstanding	1,301 07	
U. S. deposits	300,000 00	
		3,046,821 65
Total		$4,245,459 47

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, George G. Schmidt, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. GEORGE G. SCHMIDT, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 15th day of November, 1904.

C. J. WEITERSHAUSEN, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

WM. REMENSNYDER,
HENRY J. LOTZ,
T. W. FRIEND,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

DIAMOND NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 10, 1904.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts	$3,376,068 53	
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	979 49	
U. S. bonds to secure circulation	300,000 00	
Premiums on U. S. bonds	5,093 75	
Stocks, securities, etc.	7,776 65	
Banking house, furniture and fixtures	490,579 07	
Interest earned	1,939 36	
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	75,771 71	
Due from state banks and bankers	20,201 07	
Due from approved reserve agents	264,264 03	
Checks and other cash items	1,044 39	
Exchanges for clearing house	204,157 16	
Bills of other national banks	17,100 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	731 41	
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	$278,050 00	
Legal-tender notes	51,300 00	
	329,350 00	
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	15,000 00	
Total	$5,109,446 42	

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 500,000 00
Surplus fund		1,500,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		168,467 76
National bank notes outstanding		300,000 00
Payments on new stock		174,600 00
Reserved for interest and taxes		4,384 82
Due to other national banks (not approved reserve agents)	$ 103,025 75	
Due to state banks and bankers	73,554 27	
Due to trust companies and savings banks	287,052 32	
Due to approved reserve agents	150,605 72	
Dividends unpaid	407 00	
Individual deposits subject to check	2,105,041 42	
Demand certificates of deposit	41,912 46	
Certified checks	30,369 98	
Cashier's checks outstanding	35,028 99	
	2,828,997 60	
Total	$5,109,446 42	

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss.

I, D. C. Wills, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. D. C. WILLS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of November, 1904.

FERD. B. PHILLIPS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

J. P. M'KINNEY,
W. V. CALLERY,
H. C. WETTENGEL,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

MARINE NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 10, 1904:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 804,833 44
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		772 20
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		50,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		1,628 00
Stocks, securities, etc.		10,250 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		111,293 83
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	$ 43,508 06	
Due from state banks and bankers	8,330 62	
Due from approved reserve agents	84,308 87	
		136,237 55
Checks and other cash items	$ 717 11	
Exchanges for clearing house	7,063 80	
Notes of other national banks	4,805 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	127 53	
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	71 150 45	
Legal tender notes	23,640 00	
		107,012 89
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		2,500 00
Total		$1,224,524 91

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 300,000 00
Surplus fund		60,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		51,628 10
National bank notes outstanding		50,000 00
Due to other national banks	$ 49,583 41	
Due to trust companies and savings banks	129,147 55	
Individual deposits subject to check	595,318 89	
Demand certificates of deposit	725 00	
Certified checks	3,631 50	
Cashier's checks outstanding	6,490 40	
		782 836 72
Total		$1,224,524 91

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, J. S. Brooks, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. J. S. BROOKS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of November, 1904.

FRANK P. SNEATHEN, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

T. J. WOOD,
W. E. VON BONNHORST,
H. L. CHILDS,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF BIRMINGHAM.

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, November 10, 1904:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 823,348 88
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		463 80
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		100,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		919 95
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		40,000 00
Due from state banks and bankers		126,278 58
Notes of other national banks		6,746 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		187 39
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:		
Specie	$56,502 00	
Legal-tender notes	25,000 00	
		81,502 00
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer 5 per cent of circulation		5,000 00
Total		$1,184,407 16

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 100,000 00
Surplus fund		100,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		91,529 77
National bank notes outstanding		100,000 00
Dividends unpaid		582 00
Individual deposits, subject to check		769,355 54
Demand certificates of deposit		22,896 85
Cashier's checks outstanding		4 00
Total		$1,184,407 16

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, Daniel Beech, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. DANIEL BEECH, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of November, 1904.

ALBERT G. WALTER, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

JAMES W. SCULLY,
CHARLES FISHER,
ALBERT ERNWEIN,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

COSMOPOLITAN NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 10, 1904.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 747,132 21
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		27 87
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		50,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		4,906 25
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		5,626 40
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	$52,636 77	
Due from approved reserve agents	31,262 91	
Checks and other cash items	1,650 24	
Bills of other national banks	17,675 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	1,703 75	
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:		
Specie	16,000 00	
Legal-tender notes	114,325 00	
	235,475 67	
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	2,500 00	
Total	$1,045,076 40	

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 200,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		35,382 96
National bank notes outstanding		50,000 00
Due to other national banks (not approved reserve agents	$14,693 06	
Due to state banks and bankers	14,728 63	
Due to trust companies and savings banks	46,000 08	
Individual deposits subject to check	676,129 47	
Time certificates of deposit	4,300 00	
Certified checks	5,804 01	
Cashier's checks outstanding	47 19	
	759,695 44	
Total	$1,045,076 40	

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, D. J. Richardson, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. D. J. RICHARDSON, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of November, 1904.

WILLIS L. CORNELL, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

E. A. KITZMILLER,
A. L. RICHMOND, JR.,
JOHN M'CLURG,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

UNION NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, November 10, 1904:

RESOURCES.

Investment securities		$1,392,892 75
Loans and discounts		5,208,594 03
		$6,601,486 78
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		1,785 44
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		500,000 00
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits		500,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		109,743 75
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		148,440 71
Other real estate owned		10,497 22
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)		185,776 22
Due from state banks and bankers		1,552 38
Due from approved reserve agents		565,930 57
Checks and other cash items		16,342 68
Exchanges for clearing house		120,304 51
Bills of other national banks		31,535 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		1,127 35
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie, gold, $150; 720.50; silver, $41;		
599	$192,121 50	
Legal-tender notes	296,650 00	
	488,771 50	
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	25,000 00	
Total	$8,899,582 51	

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 500,000 00
Surplus fund		3,500,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		186,948 34
National bank notes outstanding		492,000 00
Due to other national banks (not approved reserve agents)	$ 95,337 07	
Due to state banks and bankers	18,866 70	
Due to trust companies and savings banks	459,337 87	
Dividends unpaid	270 00	
Individual deposits subject to check	3,338,802 34	
Certified checks	7,930 18	
U. S. deposits	300,000 00	
		4,220,634 17
Total	$8,899,582 51	

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, C. F. Dean, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. C. F. DEAN, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 15th day of November, 1904.

H. T. MORRIS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

THOS. M. ARMSTRONG,
WM. M. REES,
R. S. SMITH,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

EXCHANGE NATIONAL BANK OF PITTSBURGH,

at Pittsburgh, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 10, 1904:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$2,300,207 67
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		219 94
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		700,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		19,300 00
Bonds, securities, etc.		792,317 00
Banking-house, furniture and fixtures		250,000 00
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)		36,863 44
Due from state banks and bankers		10,040 43
Due from approved reserve agents		73,579 67
Checks and other cash items		1,932 31
Exchanges for clearing house		65,560 28
Notes of other national banks		15,000 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		1,025 28
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	456,700 00	
Legal-tender notes	50,000 00	
	486,700 00	
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	35,000 00	
Due from U. S. treasurer, other than 5 per cent redemption fund	5,200 00	
Total	$4,714,026 62	

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$1,200,000 00
Surplus fund		600,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		167,764 13
National bank notes outstanding		634,800 00
Due to other national banks	$ 236,070 21	
Due to state banks and bankers	5,015 23	
Dividends unpaid	17,656 50	
Individual deposits subject to check	1,772,323 93	
Certified checks	330 00	
Cashier's checks outstanding	20,010 00	
	2,051,471 89	
Total	$4,714,026 62	

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, A. Long, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. A. LONG, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 16th day of November, 1904.

H. T. MORRIS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

MARK W. WATSON,
A. H. CHILDS,
L. W. DALZELL,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

FIRST NATIONAL BANK,

at Sewickley, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 10, 1904.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$347,971 21
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		840 61
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		12,500 00
Stocks, securities, etc.		190,132 61
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		27,271 93
Due from approved reserve agents		104,153 05
Checks and other cash items		3,018 60
Bills of other national banks		2,500 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		139 54
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	$18,766 75	
Legal-tender notes	5,000 00	
	23,766 75	
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	625 00	
Total	$712,911 68	

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 50,000 00
Surplus fund		50,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		15,584 15
National bank notes outstanding		12,500 00
Individual deposits, subject to check	290,597 48	
Demand certificates of deposit	216,727 60	
Savings department	72,040 92	
Cashier's checks outstanding	5,675 53	
	585,047 53	
Total	$712,911 68	

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, E. P. Coffin, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. E. P. COFFIN, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of November, 1904.

O. S. RICHARDSON, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

R. J. MURRAY,
C. G. WOODS,
C. T. HARBAUGH,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

PEOPLES NATIONAL BANK

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 10, 1904.

RESOURCES.

Investment securities		$1,559,153 17
Loans and discounts		8,652,106 37
		$10,651,229 54
Overdrafts secured and unsecured		156 28
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		380,000 00
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits		450,000 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		150,000 00
Other real estate, 411 Wood st.		102,000 00
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	$ 350,081 02	
Due from state banks and bankers	45,268 87	
Due from approved reserve agents	1,754,800 28	
		2,150,149 27
Checks and other cash items	$ 29,883 08	
Exchanges for clearing house	698,582 89	
Notes of other national banks	30,600 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	1,624 81	
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	886,928 00	
Legal-tender notes	240,000 00	
		1,086,448 78
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5% of circulation)		32,500 00
Total		$16,181,493 87

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 1,000,000 00
Surplus fund		1,000,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		504,671 37
National bank notes outstanding		650,000 00
Due to other national banks	$1,756,568 02	
Due to state banks and bankers	444,860 11	
Due to trust companies and savings banks	3,104,489 29	
Dividends unpaid	380 00	
Individual deposits subject to check	5,695,422 60	
Demand certificates of deposit	28,275 00	
Certified checks	80,902 13	
Cashier's checks outstanding	565,925 33	
U. S. deposits	450,000 00	
U. S. bond account	900,000 00	
		13,626,822 50
Total		$16,181,493 87

State of Pennsylvania, County of Allegheny, ss:

I, Harvey Schumacher, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. HERVEY SCHUMACHER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 15th day of November, 1904.

I. M. FICKEISEN, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

EDWARD E. DUFF,
W. D. GEORGE,
D. LEET WILSON,
Trustees.

SAFE DEPOSIT AND TRUST CO.

of Pittsburgh, Fourth avenue and Wood street, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 10, 1904:

RESOURCES.

Cash on hand		$ 266 58
Due from banks and bankers		32,791 85
Investment securities, viz.:		
Stocks, bonds, etc.	$6,705,706 29	
Mortgages	3,360,357 48	
		10,066,063 77
Real estate, furniture and fixtures		420,409 64
Miscellaneous assets		42,527 59
Total		$10,562,059 34

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 3,000,000 00
Surplus fund		7,500,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		56,226 86
Dividends unpaid		1,500 00
Miscellaneous liabilities		4,472 48
Total		$10,562,059 34
Amount of trust funds, invested		$12,049,735 71
Amount of trust funds, uninvested		537,319 74
Total		$13,188,055 45

State of Pennsylvania, County of Allegheny, ss:

I, Edward E. Duff, treasurer of the above-named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. EDWARD E. DUFF, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn before me this 15th day of November, 1904.

D. B. OAKS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

J. PAINTER, JR.,
B. THAW,
T. H. B. M'KNIGHT,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

PEOPLES SAVINGS BANK

of Pittsburgh, Fourth ave. and Wood st., of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business November 10, 1904:

RESOURCES.

Cash on hand		$ 21,007 85
Checks and other cash items		2,742 48
Due from banks and bankers		1,370,058 88
Collateral loans		4,559,895 98
Investment securities owned, viz.:		
Stocks, bonds, etc.	$3,063,649 97	
Mortgages	3,278,814 89	
		6,342,464 86
Real estate		9,404 78

BLIND WITNESS TELLS HIS STORY

Defense in Home Development Cases Claims He Was Used for Effect.

FAMILY FIGHT OVER GRAVE

The many objections of the defendant's lawyers and wrangling over points in the evidence is delaying the "Home Development" cases, the prosecution not having finished when court adjourned yesterday. During one of the wrangles the defense accused the commonwealth of asking nothing but "fishing" questions, and the court remarked, "And you are afraid he will fish out something."

Mrs. Sarah J. Killen testified that she changed her contracts from the Keystone to the Home company in April, 1903. The last payment was made on January 6, 1904. She asked Dodge for her money and was told she could not withdraw, but could sell her contracts. She put them up for sale but they were never sold.

George L. Priestley, a negro mail carrier, identified a receipt.

Mary J. Cook presented several contracts signed by Dodge, despite the objections of the defense. A circular from the Interstate Finance Company was also offered and accepted. It said that contracts made by the other companies would be handed by it.

Rachel Barkley, an aged woman, said she held contracts in her daughter's name. She said she had once told an officer of the company that it was a shame to take money from a poor woman. Mary A. Crawford, colored, had a number of receipts, one of them signed by Crawford as president of the Interstate company. These were admitted, as was a letter showing Bechtel was connected with that company.

Witness Was Blind.

Ellen Brown and her husband, George Brown, colored people, testified to contracts they held. Brown is blind and the defense charged he was produced to affect the jury, but the court would not strike out his evidence. Joseph Basle had had a contract. He did not recognize any of the defendants as men he had done business with.

George Lee testified he signed one contract and said others he had had were taken from him. He said Bechtel gave him a contract, said he would buy him a home and that not many more payments would be required.

Alma De Yann identified Marshall and Bechtel. She had a contract which was neglected through the bookkeepers. Bechtel and Dodge, in January or February last, made her a tender of her money, but she would not take it.

Before Judge McClung in criminal court a peculiar case was aired, which was the result of a family dispute over the decorations of a grave of a deceased child. The defendants were Mrs. Flora Mellon, aged 18, of North Braddock, and the prosecutrix was Mrs. Annie Flaherty, a sister-in-law of the defendants, who were charged with a misdemeanor.

Mrs. Flaherty, the prosecutrix, and her husband, Patrick, laid their child to rest some time ago and agreed to place a wooden cross over the grave. The defendants were adverse to such a memorial as a mark for the last resting place for the little one and remonstrated with the parents, asking that a more costly monument be erected. The parents were evidently satisfied with their arrangements and refused to remove the wooden cross.

The Trouble Got Hotter.

The defendants are then alleged to have made threats, saying that they would remove the cross and take it away. The trouble became warmer and the prosecutrix claims that on July 4 last her sisters-in-law made another threat, saying this time that they would dig up the body of the child and throw the monument over the hill. The jury returned a verdict of not guilty, and recommended the costs be divided between the prosecutrix and the defendants, which was done.

J. Henry Jahn appeared again as his own attorney and filed a motion asking for a new trial in the case of embezzlement of which he was convicted Monday. As his reasons for asking for the new trial Jahn sets forth the verdict was against the weight of the evidence and that since the trial additional evidence has been secured for the defense.

Jahn was convicted Monday on a charge of embezzlement, made against him by Margaret Speece. She alleged that the defendant was her agent and sold a house for her, keeping a large part of the proceeds of the sale which he finally pocketed his own use. At the trial of the case Jahn also acted as his own attorney.

A verdict of $5,850 for the plaintiff was reached by agreement in the case of Frank O'Neill of Michigan against A. D. Faulkner of Riverside, Pa. O'Neill alleged the defendant made contracts with him for some oil wells. He alleges the amount of oil promised from the wells was misrepresented.

A petition in bankruptcy was filed by Samuel Wasserman, an agent of Leard, postoffice, Green township, Indiana county. He gives his liabilities as $1,079 and his assets as $17 50.

Charles F. Spang's Will.

Among the wills filed for probate yesterday was that of Charles F. Spang, the Etna iron manufacturer, who died in Nice, France, July 18 last. The will was drawn in Nice December 10, 1894, and was attested by Wilbur B. Hall, United States consul. Four years later two codicils were added and attested to by Theodore Van Buren, United States consul at Nice. In the original will the testator requested that no inventory or appraisement be filed and named Charles H. Spang, James Bredin and James A. Harper as trustees and executors, naming Harvey Wilson and John Jackson as additional executors in case of the death of any of the former.

The original will leaves to his daughter, Rosalie, Mrs. Boone, arising from $250,000, the house and lot at 53 West Nineteenth street, New York, with all his jewelry, silverware, pictures and household furniture, with the privilege of disposing of the trust by will as she sees fit. To his son, Norman, he leaves the homestead at Etna and 20 acres of ground surrounding it, an annuity of $2,000, and one-third of the residue of the estate.

To his son, Charles, he left all his estate known as the Etna iron works, consisting of the plant and 56 acres of land, of which he owned five-twelfths. By the codicils he placed the property of both sons in trust. Charles to be in the hands of James Bredin. In regard to the latter he said that as Charles was engaged in business subject to fluctuations and losses, he wished to make a provision for his declining years. He directed that the trust shall terminate when Charles is out of business and freed from the liabilities of both houses. The estate's value is not given, only inasmuch as relates to the real estate, which is estimated at $200,000.

Many Small Bequests.

Sabina Manley, late of Pittsburgh, by her will filed disposes of an estate of $2,370, as follows: Catherine Rooney, Randall, O., $200; Annie Leonard, South Side, $100; St. Patrick's Roman Catholic church, Mt. Savage, Md., $500 for masses for her husband, Patrick; St. Paul's monastery, South Side, $500, for masses for herself, her parents and her husband's parents, and the balance of the estate to the Pittsburgh College of the Holy Ghost to be used in the education of young men for the priesthood in that order.

Quo warranto proceedings were begun yesterday by Samuel Greeg and others against C. D. Grow and others to decide the control of Star of the West council No. 465, Junior Order United American Mechanics. The relators state that the council was chartered June 14, 1895. By reason of the refusal of the council to obey the orders of the state and national councils, it was suspended on January 6, 1904, and its charter revoked. The relators, being members in good standing, made application for a re-issue of the charter on October 18 last. This application was granted and they claim that they became the lawful Star of the West council, and the owners of its property. On November 4 the relators were elected officers of the council and they charge the respondents with refusing to recognize them as such or turn over the property to them. The court fixed December 17 for a hearing.

The exceptions to the audit of the executor of the late William Tibby were dismissed by Judge Miller. The court finds that a trust of $50,000 does not offend against the statutes. The charge of 5 per cent for collecting rents through an agent is not allowed.

Division of a Large Estate.

The first and final accounting of the estate of the late Henry Clay Huston by Samuel Huston, the executor, has been filed and $111,-701 46 is left for distribution among the heirs. The estate consists principally of stocks and bonds and under the direction of the will his interest in the Pittsburgh Steel Company is distributed as follows: Emma Johnston, Elizabeth Huston, Sarah J. Hurton and Sallie H. Howe each 10,000 shares; Samuel Huston 5,000 shares, the aggregate value of which was $208,900.

The fourth accounting in the estate of Catherine R. Negley leaves a balance of $58,677 81 for distribution.

Executions issued: M. Wolf vs. William B. Frost, $628; Lucy W. MacGonigle, executrix, vs. W. J. Thompson, $807 15; same vs. L. C. Stewart, with notice, $614 25; same vs. Charles Heeb, with notice, $614 25; Sallie Bates vs. Maria J. Burns, executrix, $480 40; L. C. Wick vs. Carlyle Ross, $1,064 70; Margaret Davis vs. Nicholas J. Kolling, $626 80; E. C. Crazan vs. C. A. Ruebsion, with notice, $6,071 41; Charles Downey vs. Roman Bandtlewicz, $1,913 10; People's Building and Loan Association vs. Thomas M. Walker et al, $5,700 65; Pennsylvania Savings Fund and Loan association vs. William Orr, with notice, $2,543 09; same vs. same, $1,254 16; same vs. same, $1,304 54; J. T. Austin vs. William M. Eastland, $101 64.

Thanksgiving Poultry

(may broiling chickens, squabs, milk-fed Ducks, strictly fresh eggs, Elgin butter. McCann's, 401-410 Market street.

Open Today.

C. A. Verner's new East End shoe store ready for business, 6204 Penn avenue, next door to Kuhn's.

AMONG THE CLUBS

Organizing the Joint Committees.

The work of organizing the two joint committees of Women's clubs which will govern the conduct of the summer playgrounds in the two cities in the future is progressing.

Immediately after the meeting last Thursday the delegates from the two sides of the Allegheny River met and effected organizations. The joint committee for Pittsburgh adopted a couple of by-laws, one applying to the name and the other to the officers which are to be inserted in the by-laws which will be adopted at the next meeting, and proceeded to the election of permanent officers consisting of Miss Beulah Kennard, chairman; Mrs. J. J. Covert and Miss Eliza Armstrong, vice chairmen; Miss Jennie D. Bradley, secretary, and Mrs. Samuel A. Ammon.

The joint committee for Allegheny deferred the organization of a permanent body until a more representative number of women could be present. Mrs. S. B. M. Hooker was elected temporary chairman and Miss M. M. Stoner, secretary pro tem. Mrs. Hooker appointed Mrs. John Cowley chairman of a committee to prepare a draft of the by-laws to be presented at the next meeting.

The joint committee for Allegheny will meet on Tuesday morning, November 29, at 10 o'clock, in the superintendent's office in the Allegheny Carnegie library to adopt the by-laws and elect its permanent officers and prepare its program of work for the winter. The joint committee for Pittsburgh has not yet found a convenient meeting day. Thursday, December 1, the day selected, being also the occasion of Mrs. David Kirk's lecture on "The Drama," in the Twentieth Century club house. Miss Kennard hopes to announce the date for the meeting in a few days. She will also appoint the committee which will prepare a draft of the by-laws for presentation at that meeting.

Arranging for a Shakespeare Afternoon.

The Southern Women's club is arranging to give an afternoon with Shakespeare at the home of its president, Mrs. John M. L'Amour, in Ben Venue, Shadyside, on Thursday, December 1. Mrs. Alfred D. Harlow will be the guest of honor on that occasion and will give a talk on "The Women of Shakespeare," which will be followed by a musical program of songs from Shakespeare, with Mrs. Agnes Vogel Roberts, soprano; F. Victor Laurent, tenor, and Mrs. James Blair Walker at the piano. The club held its regular meeting yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. M. Drill. Mrs. James Blair Walker gave the first of a series of talks on "American Music," discussing the question whether the negro music be distinctively American music, but inclining to the belief that the music which is most distinctive of this country is really the music of the Indians. Mrs. Franklin B. Ramson talked on "Our Own Riviera," Mrs. William C. Weikerle selecting the mountain districts of West Virginia, where the people are a century behind the times, speaking under the subject, "Her Time Has Slumbered." Mrs. James Curren discussed current events, this topic closing the program.

Discussed the Russian Peasantry.

Pittsburgh Sorosis met yesterday in the Schenley and discussed the characteristics of the Russian people. Mrs. William H. Denniston was the leader. The opening talk was on "Early Russian History," by Mrs. James German, Jr. Mrs. William A. Black spoke of the "Life and Conditions of the Peasants," and Mrs. Alfred E. Clark gave a short talk on the "Characteristics of the Russian People" as she observed them when traveling in Russia a few years ago. Mrs. A. W. McCloy closed the program with her talk on current events. The club elected Mrs. W. W. Kerr and Mrs. Dallas Albert its delegates to the joint committee of Women's clubs for Allegheny playgrounds, Mrs. Samuel W. Harper and Mrs. Ernest W. Marland being the the delegates elected to represent Sorosis in the joint committee of Women's clubs for Pittsburgh playgrounds and vacation schools.

Held First "Artists' Day."

The Woman's club of Sewickley held the first "artists' day" of the season at the Edgeworth club house yesterday afternoon. The guest of honor was Miss Kay Matthews Spencer of New York, who gave a very delightful afternoon of song. She also gave a short but interesting talk on "The Creative Power of Women." She was accompanied in her songs by Miss Anna Wallace. Following the program a social hour was spent and refreshments served under the direction of Mrs. Halsey Williams, assisted by Mrs. George H. Clapp, Mrs. Theodore W. Nevin, Mrs. John W. Wood, Mrs. S. B. M. Hooper, Mrs. Alexander Robinson, Mrs. Frank J. Navin, Miss Susan Williams, Miss Isabel Stewart, Miss Marjorie Irwin, Miss Elizabeth Love and Miss Nan Nevin. The meeting of the club next Wednesday will be its first regular event, with Miss Eliza Atwell in charge. There will also be music and tea.

Euchre for Entertainment Committee.

The entertainment committee of the Winedausis club met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Samuel Miller, in Forbes avenue, Squirrel Hill. It was a purely informal affair, the members of the committee meeting together to play euchre by themselves as compensation after having given so successful a euchre for the club a few weeks ago, when they were unable to play because they acted as hostesses for the club and had superintended the game. The affair was quite large as the committee is composed of over 30 women, each one yesterday having a share in the entertainment of the afternoon.

Studying the Composers.

Anecdotes of the great German composers was the opening topic of the meeting yesterday afternoon of the Noetic club at the home of Mrs. J. A. Evans in Ingram. The "Period of Decay" was discussed by Mrs. J. A. Evans, followed by the "Period of Revival" by Mrs. C. B. Garrison. Extracts from the life of Liszt were read by Miss Bertha von Bonhorst. Mrs. J. B. Brittain gave a brief history of Haydn's life and Mrs. Edward Sauvain read sketches from Mozart's life.

Annual Donation Day.

The officers and members of the Ladies' Aid society of the South Side hospital will observe their annual donation day today in the hospital in South Twentieth street. A reception will be given both afternoon and evening and the visitors will be shown over the institution. Refreshments will be served and excellent music given.

Business Women Masquerade.

The entertainment committee of the Business Women's club met last evening to make arrangements for the masquerade which will be held in the club rooms tomorrow evening.

The Poetry of Fairy Stories.

Miss Marie Shedlock spoke yesterday at the Twentieth Century club on the "Poetry of Hans Christian Anderson's Fairy Stories."

MR. HARBISON'S OFFER IS DECLINED WITH THANKS

Board of Trustees of Theological Seminary Decided Definitely as Regards a New Location.

The proposed removal of the Western Theological seminary to the site offered by Samuel P. Harbison on Brighton road received full consideration yesterday afternoon at a meeting of the board of trustees of the seminary, the only body that could settle the question, held in the Peoples' National bank building. After two hours discussion the board unanimously passed a resolution thanking Mr. Harbison for "his most generous offer," but saying they "did not see their way clear to accept the offer." This is regarded as a disposition of the matter. In the absence of Mr. Harbison the vice president, the Rev. Dr. William J. Holland, presided, and the Rev. Dr. Samuel J. Fisher was secretary. Those present were Dr. Thomas A. Rex, Dr. Thomas Davis, J. McFarland Carpenter, George B. Logan, the Rev. Dr. George W. Chalfant, the Rev. Dr. Frank W. Sneed, Oliver McClintock and John S. Slagle.

Legal opinions have convinced the board that they cannot remove the seminary to the Bellefield region, as it cannot be taken from Allegheny. The probability now is that the seminary buildings in their present location will be improved and retained. The president of the seminary, the Rev. Dr. David Gregg, was present at the meeting of the board of trustees, taking a deep interest in its action.

MORE FUNDS NEEDED.

Additional Money Required to Carry Forward Work of Industrial Home.

The board of managers of the Boys' Industrial Home of Western Pennsylvania, at Oakdale, this county, has issued an appeal for increased funds with which to carry on the work. The board needs money to pay off the debt of $915 on the farm, to secure a water supply, develop and maintain the manual training department, complete the equipment of the dairy, for maintenance and repairs and for permanent endowment.

There are now in the home about 50 boys, as many as the present state of the institution's finances will permit. Many needy boys have recently been refused admittance because of lack of means to care for them. During the past year there were under the care of the home for various periods 376 boys, of whom 161 were gratuitously cared for. Since the home was established the management has had under its care 384 boys, and there has not been a death or a serious illness in the home.

DETECTIVE IS DISMISSED.

Supt. McQuaide Wants a Young Man Appointed to the Vacancy.

Detective Harry Jones was dismissed at a meeting of the police trial board yesterday on a charge of being absent from duty without leave. Seven policemen were before the board on minor charges and small fines were imposed on all. Detective Jones was appointed on the force two years ago through the influence of his father, Evan Jones, then councilman from the Thirty-sixth ward.

Several officers in the police bureau are trying to secure the position made vacant by Jones' dismissal. Supt. of Detectives McQuaide does not approve of their promotion, as he wants a young, bright man to assist him and Detective Richard Kelly in court trials.

Carnegie Museum Buys Two Libraries.

The geological and paleontological libraries of Prof. J. B. Hatcher of Pittsburgh and Prof. C. E. Beecher of Yale, have been bought by the Carnegie museum. These libraries will be used for reference for those engaged in research work. About 1,400 school children have applied for blanks in connection with the prize essay contest of the museum.

Sues Railroad for Damages.

FRANKLIN, PA., Nov. 16.—(Special.)—Mrs. Robert Campbell of Oil City has entered suit against the Pennsylvania railroad to recover $25,000 damages for the death of her husband. Mr. Campbell was freight conductor, and on November 2, 1905, was killed in a collision near Oil City.

$12.00 to St. Louis and Return Via Baltimore & Ohio Railroad.

Tickets with seven-day limit, good in coaches only, on sale every day except Friday and Saturday. Through trains leave Pittsburgh 8:30 a. m., 1:30 and 8:50 p. m. daily.

Mortgages.

Application for loans on business or residence property in Allegheny county will be promptly answered by the Safe Deposit and Trust Company of Pittsburgh, Wood street and Fourth avenue. Apply to C. W. Kiser, Manager Mortgage Department.

At Auction Today at 2 P. M.

A $3,500.00 Japanese carved wood and ivory screen will go at a bargain. Shinamura & Co., 420 Wood street.

PURCHASE OF COAL MINES IN WESTMORELAND COUNTY

Youghiheny & Ohio Coal Company Pays the A. R. Budd Coal Company $250,000.

By preliminary papers signed yesterday, the sale was practically made of the Budd coal mine property at Webster, Westmoreland county, to the Youghiheny & Ohio Coal Company of this city. The consideration approximates $250,000. The purchasing company takes possession at once and will make extensive improvements.

The A. R. Budd Coal Company opened the Webster mine four years ago. Its property there included 350 acres of coal having a frontage of 2,100 feet on the Monongahela river and a long frontage on the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad. Switches from the latter make loading easy. The mine at present has an output of 1,000 tons a day and is equipped with electric machinery, electric haulage and is thoroughly modern in its workings. The coal is a six-foot vein of drift coal and the Budd company has hitherto handled all the output by river. The sale does not include any of the river properties of the Budd company, which owns the steamers Harvester and Frank Gilmore and about 75 other river craft. The company will still handle much of the mine's output, as before.

The Youghiogheny & Ohio Coal Company is one of the largest rail shipping coal corporations in the country. It formerly owned nine mines along the West Side Belt line, and interests affiliated with it were largely instrumental in purchasing that road and turning it over to the Wabash. The company has many valuable mining properties in Ohio and along the Baltimore & Ohio railroad. The Budd mine is the only one, it is said, that it owns on the Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad. The company will at once increase the output of the mine to 1,800 or 2,000 tons a day, which it can easily handle by means of its railroad connections and the river arrangement with the Budd company.

MOTHER RETURNS HOME.

Believes Daughter's Friendship for Aged Henry Sayers Due to Ignorance of His Marriage.

Mrs. George W. Hayes, the mother of Idalian Cameron Hayes, whose $25,000 breach of promise suit against Henry Sayers of Waynesburg, Greene county, has just ended so disastrously for the pretty plaintiff in New York, arrived in Pittsburgh yesterday. She went at once to the home of her son-in-law, Dr. H. Rickenbach, 1209 Grandview avenue, Duquesne Heights. Neither Mrs. Hayes nor her husband had anything of importance to say regarding the trial except to express disappointment over the outcome.

The old couple are distressed over the notoriety which has come to the family. They had fully expected the trial would develop that their daughter's friendship for the aged Greene county farmer was through ignorance that he had a wife and family. Miss Hayes remained in New York and her friends here say she will not come to Pittsburgh for the present at least.

GOING AFTER NEEDLING.

Millvale Justice Is Again Charged With Embezzling Money Received for Fines.

T. D. Burns, secretary of the Millvale school board made information before Alderman McMasters yesterday, charging Justice of the Peace A. J. Needling of Millvale, with embezzlement. The charges are similar to those made against Justice Needling by County Controller Cunningham for failure to account for money received in fines and due partially to the county and school board.

The amount Needling it is alleged embezzled is $125. A portion of the fines imposed on James Russell and Steve Lydick amounting to $20, is also claimed to be due the school board.

Justice Needling has not yet been served with the warrent for his arrest, but will probably enter bail today.

TIGHT SHOE MAY CAUSE LOSS OF CARRIER'S FOOT

Tight shoes may be responsible for the loss of a foot to John H. Shoemaker, a McKeesport mail carrier, who is confined to his home. Shoemaker wore a tight shoe while traveling over his route and the friction of one of the seams caused a sore from which blood poisoning has resulted. The foot may have to be amputated.

THE COUNT DE PIERREFEU WEDS MISS ELSA TUDOR

BOSTON, Nov. 16.—Count Jehan Marie Joseph Alain Dedons de Pierrefeu of Paris and Miss Elsa Tudor, daughter of William Tudor of this city, were married here this afternoon by the Rev. Henri de la Chapelle of the Roman Catholic church of Notre Dame des Victoires. The count and his bride are to reside in Newark, N. J.

INDIAN SPIRIT HAD MESSAGES

For 10 Cents and Other Conditions the "Rev." Emma Foster Turns Minnehaha Loose.

SIOUX CORPSE TOLD JOKES

Notwithstanding that Pittsburgh has been partially isolated from the rest of the world for several days, owing to the severe eastern storms of Sunday, the wires running out of Allegheny to the spirit world were all operating yesterday afternoon.

According to newspaper advertisements "Rev." Emma Foster would read "messages from those mourned as dead," in the rooms of Post 128, G. A. R., Diamond street, Allegheny, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, providing articles worn by the loved ones were deposited with the medium.

Some 75 women and five men came to hear the returns, and before they had opportunity of depositing former possessions of their dead relatives on the improvised pulpit, they were met at the door by a substantial and material male spirit who asked that each person deposit a dime with him before entering. There were no wireless dispatches on these dimes.

Minnehaha Got Busy.

The "Rev." Emma Foster, who is a prepossessing young woman,—fair, fat and not near forty—opened the session with prayer. After affecting a very modest spasm, words emanated from her mouth, in strained childish prattle, to the effect that she was in the possession of a Sioux Indian child. This infant, Minnehaha was in a happy frame of mind, and began at once to tell the message-seekers a few jokes. While she had been in "spirit land many, many years," she made brave efforts to retain her childlike pronunciation and she spoke excellent English. However, what made the performance most realistic, was the fact that the jokes she told gave every evidence of bearing a date when Indians were children.

Rushing from the platform, the medium "was guided" to a woman garbed in the deepest of mourning.

"Hello Squaw!" began Minnehaha, "you came here to hear a message from one who has but recently passed out."

The woman admitted the truth, between sobs.

"It is he whose picture you wear in your breastpin."

This was too much and the woman nearly swooned. Minnehaha promised protection and offered words of cheer and passed on to another.

Difficult to Identify.

"There is some one here for you that calls 'Mamma,'" announced the Sioux.

"I have no children dead," declared the woman.

"You don't understand," corrected Minnehaha, "she means she is your mother."

The woman, who was quite elderly, collapsed with emotion.

"There is one here who gives his initial as 'J' and has been on the other side many years," continued the spirit. The client didn't recollect. "He is not a relative," corrected Minnehaha, "possibly a friend." Still the woman couldn't remember. "J" "He tells me who he is," announced her Siouxship. "He is your guardian spirit, his full name is Jonathan Burgess. He watches over you and tells me to tell you to cheer up and be hopeful."

"I have a message for this brave," began the Indian spirit, addressing one of the men. "I hear the name 'Eva.'"

The man showed no emotion and she continued. "No, it's Emma."

Still no emotion.

"No, Ellen. Do you know who it is?" The brave didn't know and Minnehaha explained that she could see only the capital "E"; the rest was written "very blurry."

As Bad as a Telephone.

The medium then took occasion to explain that even when names were spoken they often reach her in uncertain shape, "just like the telephone works at times when it is out of order," concluded the "Rev." Emma.

Minnehaha soon left the "Rev." Emma to herself and the medium approached the layout of "former possessions," which consisted of wearing apparel, jewelry, knives, napkin holders and trinkets. There were two old trunks and several G. A. R. uniforms and caps on the platform, but as no flashes came in on them, it is supposed they were the property of Post 128.

"Have I ever read from this before?" asked the "Rev." Emma holding up a penknife and speaking in her normal voice.

The owner raised her hand and replied in the affirmative.

"I thought so," continued the medium; "my control is so strong. The one that once owned it is so very, very glad to be able to bring you a message of hope."

Hope was then passed out in large and unstinted quantities. After greeting many "former owners" to the keyboard, the medium was interrupted by a message from "out west."

"I believe you have a sister out west," inquired the medium, rushing to a woman listener. Her relatives were all concentrated east.

Ray of Light Was Wise.

"Perhaps it is for you," tried the medium, approaching another. The second woman had no tally on a sister in that direction.

Suddenly one woman spoke up from the other side of the house. "Maybe it is for me; my sister lives out west."

"Yes, yes," shouted the "Rev." Emma, with glee, "I can see the ray of light pointing to you. Your sister is writing you a letter and you will get it in a few days."

The spirits showed no partiality, and as the reporter had no "former possessions" on the pulpit the medium was cast into a trance and approached him, asking for his hand.

"I see a young man standing beside you," she began, opening her eyes.

The reporter remained composed, and she added, "He is not a relative—a former friend. He has written a message for you, but I cannot make out his handwriting. You will receive a large amount of money before the first of the year—I see so very many bills—but it will come as a surprise and not from any work you will do. I also see a train of cars standing alongside of you and you will soon travel far."

The meeting then concluded by the "Rev." Emma announcing her Allegheny house address, having recently moved from the East End, and stating that she could be consulted in private. As the congregation passed out, the material spirit who had collected the dimes at the door handed each departing visitor a business card of the "Rev." Emma.

Hugh S. Thompson Dying.

New York, Nov. 1.—(Special.)—Hugh Smith Thompson, former governor of South Carolina, former assistant secretary of the treasury, former civil service commissioner and controller of the New York Life Insurance Company is dying at his home at No. 58 East Fifty-third street. The attending physician has notified the family that the end is imminent. As the matter, growing of the grip contracted last March and general debility incidental to advanced age are the causes of Mr. Thompson's illness.

Has your boy plenty of pluck? Does he hold out?

Grit, courage, strength, finishing power are essential these days. The reason why doctors so often order Ayer's Sarsaparilla for thin, pale, delicate children is because it supplies these essentials. It makes the blood pure, rich.

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SLIGHT BRUISE CAUSES LOCKJAW AND DEATH

Allegheny Youth Attends School Monday, Is Ill Tuesday and Dies in Great Agony.

William Muchoo, aged 14, of Hall street, Allegheny, died yesterday in terrible agony, of lockjaw. Since Monday afternoon three physicians had been working almost continuously with the lad, but nothing could be done to relieve his terrible sufferings.

The boy was the son of William Muchoo, who for several years has been truant officer at the Fifteenth ward school. About two weeks ago the boy fell while playing, and the palm of his right hand was bruised and sore—what he called. The injury had apparently healed and until Sunday night the boy was in his usual health and spirits.

On Monday afternoon Dr. Arthur Gilliford was called and said the boy was suffering with tetanus. He became worse and Drs. Staufft and Langfitt were called in. On Tuesday the sufferer could not swallow and before night his limbs were drawn up tightly, his spine became rigid, and his jaws set. Death came early yesterday afternoon, although the anti-tetanic serum and all other remedies known to medical science were used.

Superintendent of Detectives McQuaide yesterday received a telegram from the police in Cleveland asking him to make inquiry about a Mrs. Dailey who committed suicide in that city Monday and who it is thought came from this city. The detectives were unable to learn of any person by that name who is missing.

Michael Bochwich, aged 40, died yesterday at the McKeesport hospital from injuries received while at work in the National Tube works of that place several weeks ago.

Blanche Greides, aged 13 months, of 900 Wylie avenue, died yesterday from burns received while standing in front of a grate in her home Monday. Her clothing caught fire and she was burned about the body.

New Companies Chartered.

HARRISBURG, PA., Nov. 16.—Charters were issued by the state department today to the following corporations: Moor Development Company, Warren, capital $10,000; The Huntingdon Silk Company, Huntingdon, capital $150,000; E. S. McGinnis Shoe Company, Pittsburgh, capital $20,000.

THE MARRIAGE QUESTION.

The professor who announced that "love and romance die out with the sound of the wedding-bells," was the first to start the ball rolling. It would seem a brave woman who marries with this echo in her ears, yet we have not heard that there were fewer marriages during the year. There are unhappy married lives, but a large percentage of these unhappy homes are due to the illness of the wife, mother or daughter.

During a long period of practice, Doctor Pierce found that a prescription made up entirely of roots and herbs, without the use of alcohol, cured ninety-eight per cent. of such cases. After using this remedy for many years in his private practice he put it up in a form that can be had at any store where medicines are handled.

Backed up by over a third of a century of remarkable and uniform cures, a record such as no other remedy for the diseases and weaknesses peculiar to women ever attained, the proprietors and makers of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription now feel fully warranted in offering to pay $500 in legal money of the United States, for any case of Leucorrhea, Female Weakness, Prolapsus, or Falling of Womb which they cannot cure. All they ask is a fair and reasonable trial of their means of cure.

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription cures headache, backache, nervousness, sleeplessness and other consequences of womanly disease. "Favorite Prescription" makes weak women strong and sick women well. Accept no substitute for the medicine which works wonders for weak women.

Some people cheat their health by wearing cotton instead of linen. It's cheaper. Some manufacturers sell a cotton mixture for pure linen. Cheating too, but its cheaper.

Kneipp Linen-Mesh Underwear

is guaranteed to be pure Irish Flax, every thread of it. It pays to be sure of that fact; its cheaper in the end.

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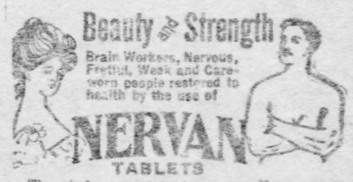

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By Mail $1.00, or 3 boxes $2.75;
Also Nervan Laxative Liver Pills, 25 cts.

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Thorough Cleanliness and

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Agents.

AGENTS—Women to sell high-class toilet preparations in this territory; only those acquainted with best methods of 3d up-to-date appearance need apply. 238 Fourth ave.

Male Help.

A GOOD steady position to the right man, one that is active and honest, living in city, good-sized town or village; salary $15 per week, with advancement; give age and address Manufacturer, P. O. Box 14, Vincentown, N. J.

ACTIVE men, travel; from country preferred; collection and adveruse; $18 weekly; expenses; expenses advanced; experience unnecessary. GUARANTEE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, Room 3, 205 Federal st., Allegheny.

AGENTS WANTED—$100 a month, sure. John P. Rush, 409 Market st.

ARE YOU SEEKING EMPLOYMENT? A LIST OF VACANCIES NOW READY; NEW ORDERS DAILY, FROM OFFICE MANAGERS TO PORTERS. TECHNICAL AND MECHANICAL POSITIONS SECURED. STAR BUREAU, 120 SIXTH STREET.

BOYS—To learn advertising, sign and picture painting; those with knowledge of drawing preferred. Apply in person with drawings, G. G. O'Brien, 1002 Fifth ave.

BRICKLAYERS wanted. Baum st., near Negley ave.

BUSHELMAN—First-class, experienced, to work at men's clothes. Apply to manager clothing dept., second floor Kaufmann's.

COMPOUNDER—Must have experience in blending whiskies; reference required. Address R 187, The Gazette.

FOREMAN—For wood working plant out of city; must be acquainted with manufacture of sashes, doors, blinds and mill work; will pay $4 to $4 50 a day.
Address HAPGOODS,
705 Park bldg., Pittsburgh, Pa.

LABORING men on slag roofing at Duff Mfg. Co., Marion st., Allegheny. Warren-Ehret Co.

MACHINIST—Competent machinist, familiar with forging mill work. Apply Scheen Steel Wheel Works, McKees Rocks, Pa.

MAN—Bright, active young man between 20 and 25 years old, for general office work; good chance for proper party; state age and experience. Address T 224, The Gazette.

MAN WANTED—Energetic young man to take general agency for fire extinguisher in Allegheny county. Address S 183, The Gazette.

MAN—Under 35, to prepare for Gov't Position. Salary $600 with promotion to $1,800. Fine opening. Box 570, Cedar Rapids, Ia.

MAN of good address for outside position; experienced salesman or agent preferred. 26 McCance block, between 9 and 11.

MEN for the U. S. marine corps—Able-bodied unmarried men between 21 and 35, good character; must speak, read and write English; marine service at sea on men-of-war in all parts of the world, on land in our island possessions and at naval stations in the United States. Apply recruiting officer, room 414, Postoffice building, city.

MEN AND WOMEN are making $1 an hour. NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY. Parker Chemical Co., Yoder Bldg., room 16, Fifth and Wylie aves.

SALESMAN—We have use for first-class salesman and solicitors of ability and address in every town in Pennsylvania, Ohio and West Virginia, particularly in Allegheny county. On a high-class attraction proposition that appeals to intelligent people; hustlers can easily earn $50 weekly. Doubleday, Page & Co., 501-2 Nixon bldg.

SALESMAN—Experienced men's furnishings; to receive consideration, experience and reference must be given. Address N 143, The Gazette.

SALESMEN—Experienced cigar salesmen to travel within a radius of 250 miles from Pittsburgh. Liberal wages paid. Novices need not apply. Address K 245, The Gazette.

SALESMEN—To sell teas and coffees direct to consumers; good wages paid to competent men. Apply at rear 914 Federal st., Allegheny.

UPHOLSTERER—Experienced outside upholsterer for drapery and curtain work. Apply to manager of drapery department, Oliver McClintock Co., 219 Fifth ave.

WANTED—An experienced real estate salesman. McDERKIN-STANTON CO., 432 Fourth ave.

WANTED—A collector. Write, giving experience and salary expected, Z. Wilkinsburg, Pa.

WANTED—Stonesetters, Elks' building, Market st., McKeesport.

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THE MERCANTILE (INC.), 434 4TH AVE.

YOUNG MEN to learn telegraphy and accept positions on railroad; rare opportunity; call at once. PENNSYLVANIA TELEGRAPH COLLEGE, No. 400-401-402-403 Lewis Block.

Female Help.

GIRL—Experienced sewing girl for drapery department; none others need apply. Oliver McClintock Co., 219 Fifth ave.

GIRL—For housework; two in family; $4 50 week up. 1213 Esplanade st., Allegheny.

GIRL wanted for upstairs work and to assist with children. 260 Winbiddle ave.

MILLINERS—Wanted immediately, first-class makers; only experienced milliners on finest work need apply. Call at Department 66, Third floor, west. Joseph Horne Co.

NURSE—White girl as child's nurse for 2 children, age 4 and 2 years; best wages paid; references required. Apply 5516 Baywood st., E. E.

NURSERY GOVERNESS—For two children; must have had experience with such and furnish good references. Address N 245, The Gazette.

STENOGRAPHER—Wanted, thoroughly competent woman stenographer in a well-established commission house; state salary expected. Address Jacob A. Keating, 544 Grant st., Pittsburgh.

TYPEWRITER—$5 to start. Apply at once to Underwood Typewriter Co., 241 Fifth ave., Pittsburgh.

WANTED—A young woman for cashier. Write, giving reference and salary expected, Z, Wilkinsburg, Pa.

Male and Female Help.

CANVASSERS and solicitors who are willing to work and are convincing talkers; must have strong personality; a live proposition for live men and women; no competition; strong Pittsburgh corporation; salary to those who can produce results. Call 305 Smithfield st., third floor.

EXCELLENT opportunity to learn barber trade. Nossokoff's Barber School, 1405 Penn ave.

Situations—Females.

SITUATION as stenographer and bookkeeper; 4 years' experience and can furnish best of references. Address M 245, The Gazette.

GERMAN GIRL wants situation; good cook and laundress; reference. 1215 Esplanade st., above North ave., Allegheny.

THOROUGH housekeeper wants situation; reference; widower preferred. 1215 Esplanade st., Allegheny.

WANTED—Position as cook in private family; reference. Address C 183, The Gazette.

THOROUGH housekeeper wants situation; reference. 1215 Esplanade st., Allegheny.

Situations—Male and Female.

POSITIONS secured for the unemployed. Call at City Employment Bureau, 411 Seventh ave.

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ALLEGHENY AVE., 1124—Very desirable furnished or unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping; bath, both gases; use of laundry.

AVERY ST., 603, Allegheny, Pa.—Finely furnished rooms for gentlemen or couple; comforts of home. Mrs. Riley Peltz, formerly of New Orleans, La.

CHURCH AVE., 137—Neatly furnished front room, second floor, all conveniences; gentlemen.

GRANT AVE., 810—Nicely furnished front room, suitable for gentlemen all conveniences.

JACKSON ST., 820—Furnished rooms; all conveniences; cars pass door; 18 minutes' walk from Pittsburgh's business center. Bell 'phone 235-L Cedar.

JAMES ST., 924—Newly furnished front room, bath, gas, electric lights; gentlemen; $12 month.

MONTEREY ST., 1248, Allegheny—Two furnished second story front rooms; gas, bath, 'phone; will rent singly.

MONTEREY ST., 1516—Large furnished front room; all conveniences; for two gentlemen.

NORTH AVE., W., 408—Nicely furnished front room; also small room, $1.50 up; board if desired.

PARK WAY, W., 16—Neatly furnished rooms for light housekeeping; all conveniences.

PENNSYLVANIA AVE., 1124—Large newly furnished front room for two gentlemen; conveniences; $15.

RACE ST., 1115—Furnished rooms with board if desired; all newly furnished and papered, board and room $4 50 and $5 week; 2 minutes' walk from postoffice.

RIDGE AVE., 1136, Allegheny—Nice rooms, furnished, light housekeeping, or rooms and meals.

RIDGE AVE., 1138—Two furnished rooms; light housekeeping; bath, gases; laundry; no children.

SANDUSKY ST., 305—Nicely furnished second floor room for gentlemen; 8 minutes' walk Pittsburgh.

SHERMAN AVE., 620—Large furnished front room, second floor, overlooking park; gentlemen preferred.

STOCKTON AVE. W., 100—Neatly furnished rooms for light housekeeping; all conveniences.

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ELM ST., 228, Edgewood—Furnished room, board, all conveniences; gentlemen; private family; handy location.

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JOHN ST., 26½, Mt. Oliver—Well furnished rooms, with good board.

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PENN AVE., 1106, Wilkinsburg—Large neatly furnished front room, all conveniences; board optional.

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THE HALKET.
Forbes st., 3340—Well furnished large parlor bedroom, with board; two or three gentlemen.

East End.

ALDER ST., 5901, corner College—Furnished room, board; members wanted. 'Phone 9115-J Highland.

FORTY-FOURTH ST., 187—Large neatly furnished room, board, all conveniences.

DOWNTOWN ST., 5222, near Osceola and Liberty—Suite two second floor rooms, for two gentlemen; breakfast and dinner; reference.

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Best located apartments in Pittsburgh.

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STORE ROOM, 22x60, with basement, 2 stories and attic, 6 rooms, bath, hot water heat, gas, electric lights, 2 fine show windows, 2 doors, 2 cellars, 2 coal chutes, 2 gas ranges, 2 sinks, 2 tubs, 2 gas heaters, 2 gas grates, 2 electric bells, 2 speaking tubes, 2 gas meters, 2 electric meters, 2 water meters, 2 water heaters, 2 water closets, 2 wash trays, 2 gas lights, 2 electric lights, 2 water taps, 2 gas taps, 2 electric taps, 2 water boilers, 2 gas boilers, 2 electric boilers, 2 water coils, 2 gas coils, 2 electric coils, 2 water pipes, 2 gas pipes, 2 electric pipes, 2 water valves, 2 gas valves, 2 electric valves, 2 water faucets, 2 gas faucets, 2 electric faucets, 2 water spigots, 2 gas spigots, 2 electric spigots, 2 water nozzles, 2 gas nozzles, 2 electric nozzles, 2 water hose, 2 gas hose, 2 electric hose, 2 water reels, 2 gas reels, 2 electric reels, 2 water hose carts, 2 gas hose carts, 2 electric hose carts, 2 water hose boxes, 2 gas hose boxes, 2 electric hose boxes, 2 water hose racks, 2 gas hose racks, 2 electric hose racks, 2 water hose nozzles, 2 gas hose nozzles, 2 electric hose nozzles, 2 water hose couplings, 2 gas hose couplings, 2 electric hose couplings, 2 water hose clamps, 2 gas hose clamps, 2 electric hose clamps, 2 water hose supports, 2 gas hose supports, 2 electric hose supports, 2 water hose guides, 2 gas hose guides, 2 electric hose guides, 2 water hose pulleys, 2 gas hose pulleys, 2 electric hose pulleys, 2 water hose weights, 2 gas hose weights, 2 electric hose weights, 2 water hose counterweights, 2 gas hose counterweights, 2 electric hose counterweights, 2 water hose counterbalances, 2 gas hose counterbalances, 2 electric hose counterbalances, 2 water hose counterpoises, 2 gas hose counterpoises, 2 electric hose counterpoises

STOCK MARKET LOWER, CLOSING RATHER HEAVY

Amalgamated Copper an Exception, Scoring a New High Price—Air Brake, River Coal and Plate Glass Strong Local Features.

By JOHN G. BAGLIN, Financial Editor.

The New York stock market averaged lower yesterday for the standard issues, and at the close the tone was rather heavy. The dealings were smaller, and were possibly more professional than for several days past. Outside traders are still shut off from the market by lack of prompt telegraphic service. Some improvement in the latter occurred yesterday, but the service of the private wire houses has not yet been restored, and this means the withholding of a large amount of business. While there were no developments of an important character to depress prices, there seems to be a growing disposition to apply the admonition of Secretary Shaw at the New York chamber of commerce annual dinner on Tuesday night, which was against a display of "reckless optimism." There is also some expectation of higher rates for money during the remainder of the year, and while no stringency is looked for, a 3½ to 4½ per cent rate on call would make it more expensive to carry large lines of stock into January, when rates are usually easier.

At the opening of the market yesterday prices were lower in response to the decline in London, which included ½ per cent off on English consols. The weakness abroad was attributed to a hitch in the negotiations over the North Sea incident, and also to fears that Russia was seeking to stir up trouble in India. This explanation for the reactionary tendency was probably as good as any other. Everything opened lower and declined until the average was about 1 per cent below Tuesday's close. There was some bidding up of specialties like New York Air Brake, North American, Detroit Southern preferred, etc., but only a feeble rally occurred in such stocks as Union Pacific, St. Paul, Pennsylvania, Atchison and Reading. Later in the session a report was circulated that an advance of $2 on sheets and $8 on tin plate had been ordered, and the copper market was reported very strong. A good rally occurred during the afternoon, Steel common and preferred, American Smelting and Amalgamated Copper being the leaders. Chesapeake & Ohio was one of the strongest of the low-priced railroad issues. Just before the close, however, the reactionary tendency again appeared and prices slowly declined, closing at losses ranging from small fractions to 1⅝ per cent, the latter Erie.

Amalgamated Copper was an exception to the general market, and in the late dealings became very strong, advancing to 78½, the highest on this movement, closing at a net gain of 1¾ per cent. Manhattan closed at a net advance of 1 per cent and Metropolitan, which was fairly active, closed a point higher. Brooklyn Rapid Transit closed ⅝ per cent lower.

In the local stock market dealings were active, but prices were irregular, and the business was unevenly distributed during the session. At the opening the feature was the strength of Westinghouse Air Brake, which started 84 a share higher at 145 and advanced to 146, from which point the price was bid up to 146½ without bringing out any offerings under 148. No doubt the strength of New York Air Brake in the eastern market had something to do with the rise, but the real cause was an investment demand coming in at a time when the market was bare of stock. This investment demand has been stimulated by the announcement of the placing of large orders for cars during the past two weeks and the increase in the working forces at Wilmerding. Westinghouse Electric continued inactive, selling at 87½ and closing at that price bid, a net loss for the day of a dollar a share. Union Switch & Signal on the other hand was strong, selling at 79 and closing at 78¾ bid.

Nearly all the activity in Pittsburgh Coal common came at the close of the session, when a large buying order appeared. The stock had sold at 21½, and in the absence of demand gradually declined to 20¾. At this price a prominent investment house began the filling of a large order and the market quickly rallied, closing firm at 21¼ bid, a net advance of ¼ per cent over Tuesday. The preferred stock was moderately active and sold off to 77¾, closing at the lowest. River Coal was strong all day, the common advancing to 12 and the preferred to 32½, the highest prices of the year.

The steel stocks were rather dull and heavy. Crucible common decline to 8⅝ and the preferred to 37, and both closed at the lowest. United States Steel common declined to 27½ and the preferred to 87.

The National Fire Proofing stocks were among the weakest, the common declining to 10 and the preferred to 31, the latter being freely offered at the close. American Sewer Pipe on the other hand, was strong, advancing to and closing at 25. Bank and trust stocks were active and irregular.

PITTSBURGH STOCKS.

Sales on the Pittsburgh stock exchange yesterday were as follows:

10:00 A. M. to 10:30 A. M.

5	Riv. Coal pfd.	30½	
10	Crucible pfd.	47½	
25	P. Coal com.	21½	
100	U. S. Std. pfd.	87¾	
5	Con. Ice com.	7½	
50	P. Oil & Gas.	75	
10	do	75	
50	do	75	
25	U. S. Std. com.	27⅝	
100	do	27¼	
50	do	27¼	
100	do	27¼	
15	Sewer Pipe	23½	
20	do	23½	
5	do	23½	
100	W. Airbrake	145	
50	do	145	
10	W. Airbrake	145¼	
10	do	145¼	
30	do	145	
5	do	145	
15	do	145	
50	Crucible com.	8⅞	
50	do	8⅞	
50	do	8⅞	
100	do	8⅞	
15	do	8⅞	
100	do	8⅞	
50	P. Coal pfd.	78½	
50	do	78½	
2	do	78½	
20	F. Proof pfd.	31⅝	

10:30 A. M. to 11:00 A. M.

50	Crucible com.	8⅞	
50	do	8⅞	
50	do	8⅞	
100	do	8⅞	
50	do	8⅞	
15	do	8⅞	
100	do	8⅞	
50	P. Coal pfd.	78½	
50	do	78½	
2	do	78½	
20	F. Proof pfd.	31⅝	
15	F. Proof pfd.	31⅝	
25	Crucible pfd.	47	
30	Riv. Coal pfd.	32½	
10	do	32½	
10	do	32½	
15	do	32½	
10	W. Airbrake	145	
40	do	145	
10	do	145	
15	do	145	

11:00 A. M. to 12:30 P. M.

10	Crucible com.	8⅞	
10	do	8⅞	
10	do	8⅞	
10	do	8⅞	
20	do	8⅞	
50	do	8⅞	
35	do	8⅞	
85	do	8⅞	
10	do	8⅞	
20	do	8⅞	
100	Phila. com.	40½	
100	do	40½	
25	W. Airbrake	146	
5	P. Oil & Gas.	75	
10	F. Proof pfd.	31½	
10	do	31½	
10	do	31½	
50	do	31½	
10	do	31½	
10	do	31½	
50	do	31¾	
50	do	31¾	
40	Brewing com.	26¾	
25	Sewer Pipe	23¾	
5	Riv. Coal com.	31	
10	M. L. & H.	38½	
25	Riv. Coal pfd.	32½	
5	do	32	
20	Crucible pfd.	47	
100	do	47	
100	do	47	
50	do	47	
16	do	47	
55	do	47	
50	Marsden	4½	
100	P. Coal pfd.	78½	
2	do	78⅝	
200	do	78½	
50	do	78¼	
10	Crucible com.	8⅝	
4	do	8⅝	
10	do	8⅝	
50	F. Proof com.	10⅝	
20	do	10½	
50	do	10½	
10	do	10½	
10	do	10½	
35	do	10½	
10	do	10½	
50	do	10½	
35	do	10½	
1	Pgh Coal		
	div. scrip	104⅝	
10	U. S. Std. com.	27¼	
10	U. S. Std. pfd.	87½	
10	P. S. Ry. com.	3000	
30	Pa. Am. Sav.	125	
20	do	125	
10	do	125	
21	do	125	
10	Frank. S. & T.	50	
5	T. & M. Bk.	70	
10	Iron City Tr.	145	
15	do	145	
10	do	145	
10	do	145	
5	do	145	
20	Met. Nat. B.	190	
5	Colonial Tr.	380	
15	Home Trust.	124	
5	do	124	
10	Merch. S. & T.	57	
20	do	57	
5	Commonw. Tr.	200	
10	Real Est. Tr.	265	
2	do	265	
10	Safe Dep. & T.	450	
15	do	450	

12:30 P. M. to 2:00 P. M.

80	M. L. & H.	38⅝	
25	do	38½	
80	do	38⅝	
10	do	38⅝	
10	do	38⅝	
15	U. S. Std. com.	27⅛	
20	Riv. Coal pfd.	32	
30	F. Proof com.	10¼	
100	do	10½	
100	do	10	
20	do	10	
50	do	10	
100	do	10	
30	do	10	
10	Crucible com.	8⅝	
5	do	8⅝	
40	do	8⅝	
10	do	8⅝	
10	do	8⅝	
100	F. Proof pfd.	31	
20	do	31	
200	Phila. com.	41	
100	do	41¼	
100	do	41¼	
60	Brewing com.	26¾	
10	do	26¾	
20	do	26¾	
1	Pig Iron w.		
	D—Jan.	16.30	
4	do	16.30	
75	M. L. & H.	38½	
35	do	38⅝	

2:00 P. M. to 2:30 P. M.

100	U. S. Std. com.	27¼	
20	do	27¼	
9	U. S. Std. pfd.	87	
25	Crucible com.	8⅝	
25	do	8⅝	
1	Pig Iron w.		
	D—Jan.	16.30	
4	do	16.30	
75	M. L. & H.	38½	
35	do	38⅝	

2:30 P. M. to 3:00 P. M.

145	P. Coal pfd.	78	
50	do	78	
75	do	77¾	
10	do	78	
50	do	78	
20	do	78	
15	F. Proof pfd.	31	
75	do	31	
50	do	31	
25	do	31	
12	Con. Gas pfd.	38	
50	do	37½	
50	Riv. Coal pfd.	32	
50	do	32	
100	Electric 2nds.	87¾	
50	P. Coal com.	78½	
50	do	78½	
75	do	78½	
50	do	78½	
50	do	78½	
50

BUYERS ANXIOUS ON STEEL PRICES

Market Keeps Rapidly Rising and a Decided Demand Is Shown Everywhere.

GENERAL NEWS OF THE TRADE

If manufacturers were willing to sell at the prices which have prevailed in most lines of iron and steel for a year there would be an enormous tonnage booked at once. The outlook, as well as the present condition, of the whole steel market has changed so radically within the past month that today the prospective buyer is the anxious party. Prices are advancing and by the end of this week the work of the various associations now in session at New York will have been completed and will mark the beginning of a new era of prosperity and fair prices in the steel trade.

With the exception of a few lines, where special conditions prevail, nearly the whole list of finished steel will be marked higher. It is not expected that this process will be completed this week, as a second conference of the same character will probably be held about the first of the year which will give another boost to prices.

The railroads have long been kept out of the market as far as they could, but they are now heavy buyers. It is said that a total of 75,000 cars have been ordered from the car manufacturers within the past few weeks. The steel for these alone represents a great tonnage.

Orders for rails will undoubtedly follow as soon as the price of that line is definitely settled. It had been hoped that there would be some fair reduction in freight rates, but this seems dubious now. Without that reduction there will certainly be no lower price than $28 for standard section rails.

Pig Iron Goes Higher.

Pig iron prices are higher now than at any point in the present movement. Stocks are now very low and much of the capacity for the rest of 1904 and the first quarter of the coming year is taken. Quotations at Birmingham in the valley furnaces range from $14 50 to $15, although there is some doubt as to actual sales at $15. Some sales have been made at $14 75, it is claimed. The change in the price of billets by the association from $19 50 to $21, was expected and was forecasted in this department last week.

The activity of the demand for coke is explained by the shortage due to the lack of water in the Connellsville region. From the experiences which the coke producers are having their coal supply it is claimed that even if there were enough water to allow the idle ovens to be fired the cars to handle the coke could not be obtained.

The National Tube Company announced yesterday an advance of $4 a ton in steel boiler tubes. The new schedule is given below. The advance is in line with the two similar advances made in merchant pipe, one last month and one November 1. The tube business is exceedingly active.

One of the features of the market is the great advance in spelter. Within a month or so the price has risen from $4 20 to $5 50 the 100 pounds, and it is still advancing. Copper and tin are likewise scarce.

Current Quotations.

Below are given current quotations on various lines of iron and steel:

Bessemer pig—$14 75, valley furnace.

No. 2 foundry iron—$14 25, valley furnace.

Gray forge—$13 25, Pittsburgh.

Billets—Bessemer and open hearth, association prices, $21 00 for small billets and sheet bars, $21 50; extras for carbon same as heretofore.

Muck bar—A ton, $25 50 to $26 00, Pittsburgh.

Steel rails, etc.—Standard sections, 50 pounds and over, in lots of 500 tons and over, $28 00; carlots and less than 500 tons, $29; less than carlots, $33; 16 to 40 pounds, $18 00@20 00; hexagon nuts, $2 40@2 45; fish plates, $1 60 in orders accompanying large rail contracts, otherwise $1 80@1 85 is asked.

Structural shapes, association prices—Beams and channels, to 15 inches, $1 40 the 100 pounds; 18 to 24 inches, $1 50; tees, $1 85; zees, $1 40; angles from 6 to 16 pounds, $1 40; universal plates, $1 70.

Steel plates—Tank plates, $1 50, Pittsburgh, the 100 pounds; flange and boiler, $1 40; locomotive fireboxes $1 90.

Bars—Iron, $1 50, Pittsburgh; open hearth, $1 35, base; Bessemer, $1 30, base. All subject to half extras as per standard steel card.

Wire—Wire nails, $1 60, Pittsburgh; pisin wire, $1 45; galvanized barb wire, $2 05.

Merchant steel—In carlots, Chicago delivery, spring steel, $1 75 the 100 pounds; smooth finish machinery steel, $2 75 and upward, according to quality; toe calk, $1 90; ordinary grades of tool steel, 6@8c; specials, 12c and upward; cold rolled shafting in carlots, 55c, and less than carlots, 67 per cent discount from list.

Specifications for less than 2,000 pounds of a size, but not less than 1,000, are subject to an extra charge of 10 cents the 100 pounds; less than 1,000 pounds to an extra charge of 30 cents the 100 pounds.

Tin plate—10-pound coke plates, $1 50 a box at nearest mill, Pittsburgh delivery.

Sheets—Black sheets in 500-pound lots and over, range from $2 50 on No. 30 to $1 68 on No. 8; galvanized sheets range from $2 20 on Nos. 30 and 27 to $2 00 on No. 20. No. 28 black sheets are selling at $2 00@2 15.

Merchant pipe—The latest list of discounts to consumers, issued by the largest producer covering carload lots, f. o. b. Pittsburgh, follows:

	Steel. Blk.	Galv.	Iron. Blk.	Galv.
⅛ to ⅜-inch	60	51	58	51
⅝ and ½-inch	73	61	71	59
¾ to 6-inch	77	67	75½	65½
7 to 12-inch	72	57	70½	55

EXTRA STRONG PIPE.

	Steel. Blk.	Galv.	Iron. Blk.	Galv.
½ to ⅜-inch	62	50	61	48
½ to 4-inch	66	57	67	55
4½ to 8-inch	65	55	63	51

BOILER TUBES.

	Steel.	Iron.
1-inch to 1½	48	45
1¼ to 2¼	58	48
2½-inch	60	50
2½ to 3	60	50
6 to 13	58	48

Ferro-manganese—Domestic ferro, 80 per cent, $41 00@41 50, delivery at buyers' mill in carload lots east of the Mississippi river.

Spelter—Prime western grades, $5 50 the 100 pounds, Pittsburgh, in carlots.

Skelp—Grooved iron, $1 50 the 100 pounds; sheared, $1 57½; grooved, $1 45; sheared, $1 47½.

Old materials—Heavy melting stock, $11 00@11 50; No. 1 wrought scrap, $10 00@10 50; old steel rails, $13 00@13 25; cast iron borings, $5 25@5 75; turnings, $7 50@8 00.

The Hardware Market.

The hardware business continues to move along in very good shape, orders coming in freely from all sides and for good quantities, dealers feeling in better spirits and in better shape to do business than for quite awhile past. Very heavy orders for nails and wire continue to come in, the trade evidently using a great many of these goods, and probably stocking up some of them with the prospects of change in price. Seasonable goods are moving in very good quantities. Prices generally are very firm, no recent changes being reported. The Bindley Hardware Company furnishes the following quotations:

Columbia hinges, discount 35 per cent; Albion hatchets, discount 40 and 10 per cent; Bindley canal shovels, $6 60 a dozen; Great Western files, discount 70 and 10 per cent; sheet iron, base, $2 30 the 100 lbs.; galvanized sheet iron, discount 70 and 10 per cent; sash weights, a ton, $27; window glass, L. C. L., 90, 2o and 2½ from list October 1, 1903; Albion mowing machines, discount 25 per cent; blue and white enameled ware, 40 per cent; Albion gas stoves, 40 per cent; Albion lanterns, 40 per cent; fire shovels and pokers, 40 and 10 per cent.

BUOYANT FEELING IN THE PIG IRON MARKET

Threatened Advances Have Stimulated Contracts for Raw Material for Spring Delivery.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—The Iron Age tomorrow will say:

There is a buoyant feeling all along the line, which expresses the belief in an eagerness to buy for delivery well into next spring whenever possible. Recent actual threatened advances in prices have stimulated contracting for raw or semi-finished materials, to a very considerable degree. That actual consumption has expanded correspondingly may very well be doubted since there is little evidence to that effect. Besides, the country has been very bare of stocks in the hands of distributers and of manufacturers and it takes a very large tonnage to bring it back to the normal.

Prices for finished iron and steel have actually risen, or are advancing, in some respects owing to the general fear of such an advance.

The bridge builders are not yet feeling any marked improvement, in fact the tonnage coming up, notably from the railroads, is rather light. Some moderate sized orders have been taken, and some fair work is being negotiated for, including about 6,000 tons for track elevating in Chicago.

The Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—Cotton futures closed steady; November, 9.69c; December, 9.77c; January, 9.85c; February, 9.92c; March, 9.97c; April, 10.01c; May, 10.10c; June, 10.10c; July, 10.14c. Spot closed dull and 10 points decline; middling uplands, 10.15c; middling gulf, 10.40c; sales, 23 bales.

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THE THREE RIVERS

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CINCINNATI, O., Nov. 16.—The stage of the river at 6 o'clock this evening was 4 feet and falling. Clear and pleasant. Today's departure was: Courier, Louisville. Quite a number of rivermen from Cincinnati will participate in the dinner and celebration of the opening of slack water of the Big Sandy river, which will be held at Catlettsburg, Ky., tomorrow night. Many of the coal operators in this part of the country hold large options on coal lands in that part of Kentucky and West Virginia which is tapped by the Big Sandy and its tributaries.

LOUISVILLE—River falling; in canal, 2.5; on falls, 5; below locks, 3.3. Clear and pleasant.

STEUBENVILLE—River 1 foot 10 inches and stationary. Clear and cold.

MORGANTOWN—River 5 feet 4 inches and stationary. Clear.

PARKERSBURG—River 2 feet and stationary. Warm and clear. No boats.

GREENSBORO—River 5 feet 8-10 and stationary. Clear and warmer. Columbia down Thursday and Rose Hite up.

POINT PLEASANT—River 1 foot 2 inches and falling. Clear. Down, Telephone.

WARREN—River 3 feet 10 inches. Clear and mild.

The stage of water at Davis Island dam at 9 o'clock last night was 2.4 feet and the river was stationary.

BOUGHT FAMOUS RELIC.

Dilworth Coal Company Sunk "Big Stone Near Locust Street.

The Dilworth Coal Company has purchased what is known among rivermen as the "Big Stone" and sunk it at the landing on the Ohio river, near Locust street. The stone is famous in river circles having been once used by the coal companies along the Ohio river to anchor their flats. Capt. Morris of Pittsburgh used the stone first in the early 60's at his landing near Juniata street. It was lately found by a local sand boat, all trace of it having been lost for 20 years. The stone measures 7.5x4 feet and has an anchor bar through the center, to which is attached a hand-made chain.

The Loma came down from the Sixth pool yesterday, where it had been doing some government work. It made the trip to Davis Island dam during the day.

The Clyde passed up the river yesterday, bound for the Fifth pool with a tow of coal.

The Elinor is having some new machinery installed at Reese's shops on the Allegheny.

The tug Wash Gray was taken off the marine ways yesterday and brought to shop No. 1 of the Monongahela River Consolidated Coal and Coke Company at Brown's station, where she will undergo a general overhauling.

Capt. Ed Hullings of the steamer Katharine had his shoulder blade broken by falling into an empty barge.

A suit in admiralty was filed by James Rees & Sons Company, boat builders, of this city, against the steamer John F. Klein and its owners, the Pittsburgh Dredging and Construction Company. It is alleged by the plaintiffs that an agreement was made between their company and the defendants, whereby the plaintiffs were to make extensive repairs to the steamer. It is alleged that the bill for the work which was finished some time ago, and which amounts to $2,472 76, has not been paid.

VEGETABLES ARE PLENTY; PRICES REMAIN FIRM

Choice Fruits Have Good Call. Better Market for Oats and Hay.

A plentiful supply of vegetables and firm prices were the features of the produce market yesterday. No changes of importance were noted in quotations. Choice apples are bringing fancy prices and the supply is only fair. The bulk of the apples in the market are of inferior grades and many of them are not in the best demand for winter keepers. The call for vegetables is increasing steadily as winter approaches and local dealers are well stocked.

In the fruit market delicacies are appearing at prices that tempt the average householder. New Hallowees dates are quoted at only 5 cents a pound and the Sayers variety are only 8½ cents a pound. A large supply of oil dates has kept the market unsatisfactory until lately. Figs are in abundance and are of excellent quality. There is a heavy sale of oranges and bananas. California grapes were marked down 50 cents a crate yesterday. They are arriving in large quantities and are quoted at 12 and 15 cents in small baskets. Concord grapes are scarcely out of the market. Seven cars of apples had arrived up to 10 o'clock, two cars of cabbage, 19 cars of new potatoes and one car of miscellaneous fruit.

No changes were noted in the grocery market yesterday. The flour market is unchanged. Butter, eggs and cheese remained firm at prevailing quotations, with a ste[illegible] demand.

HAY AND GRAIN.

Receipts.

Receipts of hay, grain and feed yesterday were as follows: Pennsylvania lines, 6 cars oats, 4 cars corn, 39 cars hay, 2 cars straw, 1 car rye, 1 car bran; Baltimore & Ohio railroad, 5 cars hay, 1 car oats; Pittsburgh & Lake Erie railroad, 5 cars hay, 1 car corn, 2 cars feed, 2 cars rye.

Hay held its own in local markets yesterday, although receipts were good. Oats were a little stronger in market. The supply is somewhat shorter and the fact that western markets are firmer makes it impossible to lay the grain down here as low as a few days ago. Such bran is quoted at $18 to $19 50 a ton, with a good call. Receipts of grain were fair and the market about the average.

No. 1 timothy ...$12.50@12.75	No. 2 mid. ...$21.50@22.00
No. 2 ....$11.00@11.50	do brown.$20.00@20.50
No. 1 clov.$12.50@12.75	Bran, ton ..$19.00@19.50
No. 1 mix.$12.25@12.75	Wheat, No. 2 red, at mill...$1.06@1.08
Loose from wagon..$14.00@16.00	Corn, No. 2 yellow shelled ...64@64½c
Straw, oat..$7.25@7.75	do wheat..$7.75@8.25	do mixed...60½@61c
do rye ...$12.75@13.25	No. 2 yellow car ...63½@64c
No. 2 white oats ....35@35½c	New yellow ear ....52@52½c
No. 3 oats .34¼@34½c	No. 2 rye, western ..92½@93c
No. 4 oats ...33@33½c	
White middlings, No. 1, ton.$23.00@23.50	

FRUITS.

Lemons, Messinas ...$4.00@4.50	do Malaga.$4.00@5.00
Oranges, Florida ..$3.00@3.50	do Catawba, 4 lb .....15@16c
Jamaicas, per box.$2.75@3.25	Grape fruit..$4.00@5.00
Cocoanuts, bags ...$3.50@4.00	Apples, Kings, bbl.$2.25@3.00
do doz. .....05@10c	do Baldwin.$2.50@2.75
Figs, cartons, ...15@20c	do other varieties..$2.25@2.50
do layers ....08@12c	Choice ....$1.25@1.50
do washed, stuffed, doz...$2.25	Fancy .....$2.00@2.25
Dates, stuffed 10c	Pears, bbl....75c@$1.00
Bananas 1st.$1.50@2.00	Limes, per 100 ...75c@$1.00
do 2nds ..$1.00@1.50	Pears, 10-lb b'skts.20@25c
Pineapples, crate ...$3.00@3.50	20-lb b'skts.40@50c
Grapes, California, crates ..$1.25@2.00	Keifers, Ohio and N. Y., bbls. ...$2.00@2.50
N. Y. grapes, 8-lb basket.10@20c	Quinces, bbls. ....$4.50@5.00 ½-bu ....70@85c

SALT FISH.

Mackerel, No. 1 mess, bbl....$20.00	Mackerel, No. 2 large, bbl....$16.50
do half bbl....$11.50	do half bbls.....$8.50
do quar. bbl....$6.00	do quar bbls....$4.75
Mackerel, No. 1 plain, bbl....$20.00	do 2½lb pails...$1.60
do half bbls...$10.50	do 10-lb pails...$1.00
do quar. bbls...$6.25	do No. 2 Irish, 50-lb tubs.....$5.00
do 2½-lb pails..$2.40	Lake herring, 100 lbs. $3.35
do 10-lb pails..$1.75	do 50-lb $1.85
	do 10-lb 90c

HERBS.

Sage, doz.....20@25c	Sweet marjoram, doz. .....20@25c
Summer savory, doz. .....20@25c	Lemon thyme, doz. .....20@25c

GROCERIES.

Flour.

Fancy spg. patent, quarters, in paper..$5.50@6.00	
Fancy winter patent...$6.10@6.20	
Straight win.$5.00@5.75	
Rye .....$4.50@4.65	
Graham .....$4.65@4.75	
Cornmeal, bbl. ....$3.00@3.10	
do 10-lb cotton bags .....16½@17c	
Buckwheat ..$3.00@4.25	
Rolled oats, bbl..$4.70	
do kegs $2.50	
Roasted Coffee.	
Rio .....13½@15c	
Santos .....22½@25c	
Maracaibo ....15@15½c	
Peaberry ....17½@18c	
Golden Rio ....15@15½c	
Laguayra .....19½@20c	
Standard, pkgs 18.05c	
High grade.18½@19½c	
Molasses, fancy refined ....35@36c	
do choice ....31@34c	
do open ket..37@40c	
Syrup.	
Fancy syrup ..28@30c	
Maple syrup, gal..$1.10	
Sug. and cane..24@25c	
Prime .....24@25c	
½-lb cans, doz...$1.90	
¾-lb cans, doz...$1.10	
5-lb cans, doz....$1.85	
10-lb cans, doz..$3.40	
Maple, gal...75c@$1.00	
Oatmeal, bbl. $5.25	
do kegs $2.75	
Rice, ordinary, fancy and head.	
Japan .....4@4½c	
do choice, Carolina .....5¼@5½c	
Salt, No. 1 bbl....$1.60	
do No. 2 extra..$1.10	
do gran. rock....95c	
do pocket..$1.60@1.85	
do dairy $1.50	
Lentils, fancy 4½c	
Sauerkraut, 40-gal. cask ..$5.00	
do 15-gal. keg...$2.10	

PRODUCE.

Potatoes, bulk, bu. store....55@60c	Wax beans..$2.00@2.50
bu. track....50@55c	Celery, Kalamazoo, doz. .....10@15c
Mich., car lots ....45@48c	do Ohio .....20@30c
Ohio, car lots ....50@55c	Brussels sprouts, quart .....12½@15c
Virginia sweets, bbls. ...$2.00@2.25	Spinach, ½-bu b'sket.20@25c
Jersey sweets, bbls. ...$3.00@3.25	Honey, new ....15@16c
do kiln dried, bbl. ....$4.25@4.50	Extra, fancy 17c
do hamp'rs.$1.25@1.50	do Miller's, 12 sec. 18½c
do crates..$1.25@1.50	Popcorn, lb. ....4@5c
Onions, bbls. ...$2.00@2.25	Eggplant, Florida, crates ...$4.00@4.50
do bu. .....25@35c	Squash, marrow, fair, bbl.$1.00@1.25
Spanish, per crate ...$1.45@1.50	do Hubbard, bbl. ....$1.25@1.50
do yellow, bbl. ....$2.25@2.35	Rutabagas ..$1.10@1.15
do yellow, bu. ....90c@$1.00	Peppers, bu. ....55@60c
Carrots, bbl.$1.50@1.75	do bbls... $1.25@1.50
do hamp'rs.90c@$1.00	Mushrooms, per lb. .....25@35c
Parsnips, bbl. ...$1.75@2.00	Cauliflower, per bu basket ..$1.25@1.50
Cucumbers, Boston, doz. ....$1.00@1.25	do ½-bu b'skt.50@60c
Cabbage, domestic, bbl. ....75c@$1.00	Garlic, lb. .....7@8c
do Savoy, bbl. ....$1.00@1.25	Cranberries, per crate.$1.75@2.25
do German sed tons ...$35.00@40.00	do bbl, choice..7@8c
do bbl. ...$1.15@1.25	do common..$3@10c
Lettuce, baskets ....20@25c	Horseradish, bbl. ....$5.50@6.00
Green beans.$3.00@3.50	Turnips, bu. ....50@60c
	do bbl. ...$1.50@1.75
	California tomatoes.$2.50@3.00
	do south'n.$1.75@2.25
	Watercress, doz.15@50c

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, sta. pie..$1.10	Raspberries ....85@95c
do pie, gal.$2.50@3.00	Gooseberries ....80@90c
do California, L. C. ..$1.65@2.25	Tomatoes, fancy ...$1.15@1.35
do Maryland ....$1.45@1.65	do standard...80@85c
do California, Y. P. ..$1.80@2.00	do gal. ...$2.50@2.55
Corn, fancy..10@1.20	Succotash, 1-lb cans ....$1.25@1.40
do stan. ....80@85c	Baked beans, cans, tomato sc..75@85c
Cherries, Cal. white ..$2.50@2.75	Salmon, doz..95c@$2.00
Lima beans.$1.25@1.45	do red, 1-lb flats ....$1.00@1.30
do soaked ....70@80c	1-lb flats.$1.65@2.00
String beans, 2-lb..70c	do pink, 1-lb talls ....$1.81@2.10
do 3-lb 95c	Chipped beef.$2.25@2.75
Succotash, green beans ..$1.25@1.75	Corned beef, 2-lb cans ....$2.40@2.45
Peas, marrowfat ....88@90c	do 1-lb cans ....$1.30@1.35
do early June .....92@95c	Mackerel, broiled ..$1.90@2.50
do soaked ....55@85c	Sardines, domes. ½s...$3.45@3.60
Apples, N. Y. gal cans..$2.15@2.25	do mustards, ½s.$2.60
Pineapples ..$1.25@2.35	do French.$9.50@18.50
Plums, California ..$1.55@1.60	

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter.	
Prints .....28@28½c	do block ...14@14½c
Tubs .....27½@28c	do imported.27@27½c
Ohio cream....25@26c	do Limburger, new ..13@13½c
Dairy .....21@23c	do 5-lb brk.14½@15c
Country r'l.16½@17½c	Neufchatel, per box...60c@$1.00
Renovated butter .....20@22c	Sheford, box 95c
Cheese, N. Y. full crm. new.11¼@12c	Eggs, selected...27@28c
do Ohio crm.11@11½c	do candled lots .....24@27c
do ¾ cream, new .....9¼@10c	do storage ...25@26c
do Wis. Swiss, tubs .....14@15c	

PROVISIONS.

Hams.

18 lbs and up....10c	
Over 14 to 18 lbs...10c	
Over 10 to 14 lbs.10½c	
10 lbs and under.10¾c	
Skinned 11c	
Boneless boiled...17½c	
California hams...7½c	
Shoulders, N. Y. cut 9c	
do skinned 9¼c	
Ribs, 8 to 10 lbs.11¼c	
do 10 to 12 lbs.10½c	
do back strips 11¼c	
do cheek, 8 to 10 lbs 11¼c	
do 10 to 12 lbs.10¾c	

Breakfast bacon, back strips ..12¾c

Dry salt sides, extra short clears ..8¾c

Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs. 9c

do 16 to 20 lbs. 9½c

do under 16 lbs.9¾c

Dry salt smoked sides, extra short clears ..9¾c

Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs. 10c

do 16 to 20 lbs.10¼c

do under 16 lbs.10¾c

Lard, pure, tierces .....8@8½c

POULTRY AND GAME.

Live hens ....10@11c	Squab, doz. $4.00
do roosters ....7@8c	do No. 2 .....$3.75
do old turkeys.14@15c	Ducks, ruddy ..$1.25
do old ducks.11@12c	do red head.$1.75@2.00
do spring chickens ...11@12c	do canvas-back ...$2.75@3.00
do geese .....8@9c	Impt. golden plover, doz. $5.50
do spring ducks ....13@14c	do black plover.$4.50
Dressed hens..15@16c	do grouse $2.50
do roosters ..12@13c	do partridges ..$2.25
do turkeys ...20@21c	English pheasants, per pair $2.25
do spring chickens ...16@17c	Reed birds, doz..$1.25
do Long Island ducklings 20c	Snappers, per lb..9@10c
do capon, lb..20@22c	Rabbits, pair...3½@4c
	Woodchuck ....40@50c

DRIED FRUIT.

Apricots, evap., bags .....10@12c	Raisins, Muscatel, 2 and 4 crown
do 25-lb boxes ..10¼@12½c	50-lb boxes..@1½c
Apples, bulk....6¾@7c	do Ondaria Val. .....8@8½c
do 1-lb cartons .....7½@8c	do Cal. Val. ..7@7½c
Peaches .....7@10½c	Currants, cleaned, 25 and 60-lb pkgs ....6½@6¾c
Raisins, seeded, 1-lb pkg..7¼@7¾c	Prunes .....5@8c

NUTS.

Filberts .....11@12c	do fancy, lb....7@8c
Eng. walnuts...12@15c	do dried Italian, lb.7c
do dom. ...90c@$1.00	Shellbarks, bu. .....$1.50@1.75
S. S. almonds....16½c	do new ...$1.75@2.00
Tarr. almonds 15c	Pecans 10c
Mixed .....10@11c	Peanuts, fancy roasted $1.60
Brazil .....9@10c	do choice $1.50
Italian chestn'ts.9@10c	
do domestic, choice, lb....5@6c	

SEEDS.

Clover, from store, recleaned, 60-lb bu small.$7.00@7.85	Millet, Western ..$1.25@1.50 Southern ..$1.75@1.80
do mammoth ...$7.70@7.90	Grass, Hungarian .....90c@$1.00
do crimson.$4.50@4.75	do lawn, lb...10@18c
do white Dutch..$8.75@10.50	do blues, 14-lb bu. .....$1.20@1.50
Alsike ....$8.00@9.00	do red top, 14-lb bu..$1.10@1.60
Alfalfa ....$8.50@9.00	Timothy ....$1.45@1.55

HIDES.

No. 1 green steer, heifer 9c	Green salt or cured, No. 1 steers, over 60 lbs. 11c
do light, under 60 lbs, and cows, all weights 8c	do No. 2 .....9c
No. 1 green bulls...6c	Cows and light hides.10c
	Calfskin, No. 1 ....12c

THE MONEY MARKET.

The reports of the local banks explain the prevailing ease in the money markets, deposits being larger and loans smaller. Rates are unchanged at 5@6 per cent on call and time loans. Clearing house comparisons:

Exchanges.	Balances.
Yesterday $8,844 440 05	$1,709,129 01
Last week 9,502,109 88	2,181,310 14
Last year 6,093,993 06	593,379 06

Foreign Money Markets.

LONDON, Nov. 16.—Money was in quiet demand and increased supply in the market today. Trading on the stock exchange opened quietly firm, but prices weakened subsequently. This was attributed to the unconfirmed report of trouble between Afghans and Russians in Afghanistan. Consols hardened at first but eased later, partly owing to the expected rise in the rate of discount of the Bank of England. Home rails were depressed on disappointing earnings. Americans opened irregular, advanced by fractions to over parity, reacted later with the general depression and weakness in New York and closed dull. Imperial Japanese government 6s of 1904 were quoted at 94¾. Consols for money, 88 3-16. Consols for account, 88¼. Bar silver quiet, 26 13-16d the ounce. Money, 1½@2 per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for short bills is 3 per cent. The rate of discount in the open market for three months' bills is 2 15-16@3 per cent.

PARIS, Nov. 16.—Prices on the bourse today opened firm, but subsequently the market weakened and stocks closed feeble. Russian Imperial 4s were quoted at 94.55 and Russian bonds of 1904 at 88 18. Three per cent rentes 98 francs 37½ centimes for the account. Exchange on London 25 francs 13½ centimes for checks.

WHEAT IS MARKED BY SHARP ADVANCE

Prospective Sales of Large Quantities of Flour to Japan the Principal Cause.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, Nov. 16.—Prospective sales of large quantities of flour to Japan was one cause for a sharp advance in speculative wheat prices here today. At the close December wheat was up 1⅝@1⅞c and May 1@1¼c. Corn is up 1¼c. Oats showed a gain of ⅛c and provisions 2½@15c.

Before the opening in the wheat pit traders were greeted with an official statement of the world's shipment and of the visible supply. Both totals being discouraging to the bulls, sentiment at the start was rather bearish. Another factor contributing to the easier tone was a decline in all foreign grain markets. Liverpool was down over ½c. Initial quotations here on December were ¼c lower to ¼c higher at $1 10¼@1 11¼. May was ¼c lower to ¼c higher at $1 11⅝@1 11¾. For a time there was general selling and prices slumped. December to $1 10⅝ and May to $1 10⅞. Shorts took advantage of the break and in covering sales caused an upward movement in prices. As the session advanced, the buying became more general and resulted in a strong undertone. The improved demand was attributed mainly to a revival in cash business at all principal grain centers. A message from Minneapolis stated that the demand for cash wheat there was the best experienced thus far on the crop. One explanation of the sudden development of the demand for cash wheat in the northwest was the presumption that millers had either made some large sales of flour or that they had come into the market for future supplies because of the dip in prices. In this connection a message from the Pacific coast stating that it was hinted there that Japan will be forced to buy immense stocks of American flour within a few weeks was considered significant. News from the southwest was about equally bullish. Receipts today at St. Louis and Kansas City were about 40 per cent less than the corresponding day last week and a year ago. In regard to the cash situation a report from Kansas City stated that Kansas millers were bidding a premium of 2½c for hard wheat. During the last part of the session prices steadily advanced until December touched $1 12⅛ and May $1 12⅝. The close was almost at the highest point of the day, final quotations on December being at $1 12⅜@1 12⅝. May closed at $1 12⅛@1 12⅜. Clearances of wheat and flour were equal to 59,000 bushels. The amount on passage increased 2,072,000 bushels and the visible supply increased 2,340,000 bushels. The world's visible, as shown by Bradstreets, increased 6,500,000 bushels. Primary receipts were 818,000 bushels, compared with 1,262,300 bushels a year ago. Minneapolis, Duluth and Chicago reported receipts of cash wheat, against 1,315 cars (two days) last week, and 628 cars a year ago.

Strength of wheat was the main factor in the corn market. On an active demand from shorts prices showed good gains. December opened a shade to ⅛@¼c lower at 49¾@50c, sold between 49⅝c and 51⅜c, and closed at 51¼@51⅜c. Local receipts were 165 cars, none of contract grade.

Oats were firm, largely in sympathy with the strength of other grains. Trading was more active than of late, but the volume of business was again small. December opened unchanged at 28⅝c, sold between 28⅝@28¾c, and 29c, and closed at 28⅞c. Local receipts were 59 cars.

Buying by packers and covering by shorts caused a strong provision market. The advance in the price of corn also helped bullish sentiment. At the close January pork was up 12½@15c, at $12 70. Lard was up 2½@5c at $7 07½. Ribs were 5@7½c higher at $6 55@6 57½.

Estimated receipts for tomorrow: Wheat, 74 cars; corn, 291 cars; oats, 57 cars; hogs, 28,000 head.

The leading futures, reported by John D. Armstrong & Co., members of the Chicago board of trade, Farmers Bank building, are as follows:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Yesterday's Close.
WHEAT					
No. 2.					
Dec.	1 11⅛	1 12⅝	1 10⅝	1 12⅜	1 11
May	1 11⅝	1 12⅞	1 10⅞	1 12⅝	1 11⅜
July	97¼	98⅝	97	98½	97
CORN					
No. 2.					
Dec.	50	51⅝	49⅜	51⅛	50⅛
May	46⅛	46⅝	45⅝	46⅜	46
July	45⅞	46⅛	45⅞	46⅛	45⅜
OATS.					
No. 2.					
Nov.	....	....	....	29⅞	29⅜
Dec.	28⅝	29	28⅝	28⅝	28⅜
May	31⅝	31¼	31¼	31½	31⅜
July	31⅝	31⅝	31⅜	31⅝	31⅜

MESS PORK.

Jan.	12 57½	12 70	12 55	12 70	12 57½
May	12 57½	12 75	12 67½	12 75	12 69

LARD

Jan.	7 02½	7 05	7 02½	7 07½	7 05
May	7 17½	7 22½	7 17½	7 22½	7 17½

SHORT RIBS.

Jan.	6 50	6 57½	6 47½	6 57½	6 50
May	6 60	6 70	6 60	6 70	6 62½

Cash quotations were as follows:

Flour steady. No. 2 spring wheat, $1 08@1 13; No. 3, $1 03@1 13; No. 2 red, $1 15@1 16; No. 2 corn, 55c; No. 2 yellow, 55c; No. 2 oats, 31½@32½c; No. 2 white, 31@31½c; No. 2 rye, 78½c; good feeding barley, 38@38½c; fair to choice malting, 42@52c; No. 1 flaxseed, $1 10½; No. 1 northwestern, $1 17½; prime timothy, $2 65; mess pork, per bbl., $11 10@11 15; lard, per 100 lbs., $7 02½@7 05; short ribs sides (loose), $6 87½@7 12; short clear sides (boxed), $6 82½@7 00; whisky, basis of high wines, $1 24; clover, contract grade, $12 25.

Articles.	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, bbls.	30,000	30,000
Wheat, bu.	116,000	134,800
Corn, bu.	335,500	65,000
Oats, bu.	184,200	101,100
Rye, bu.	12,000	46,400
Barley, bu.	161,900	40,300

NEW YORK, Nov. 16.—Flour—Receipts, 20,619 barrels; exports, 5,667 barrels; sales, 3,800 packages. Market dull and lower to sell. Winter straights, $5 25@5 45. Flour firm, sales 300 barrels. Buckwheat flour quiet. Cornmeal firm. Rye nominal. Barley steady. Wheat—Receipts, 15,500 bushels; sales, 3,400,000 bushels futures. Spot firm. No. 2 red, $1 22½ f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 northern Duluth, $1 27½ f. o. b. afloat; No. 1 hard Manitoba, $1 28 f. o. b. afloat. Options opened steady and quiet, immediately selling off under liquidation, a large visible supply increase and weak Liverpool cables. Later a sharp recovery took place, led by the strength of western markets, and last prices were 1½@1¾c net higher. May $1 12¾@1 14⅝, closed $1 14⅛; July, $1 02@1 03⅝, closed $1 03¼; December, $1 17⅛@1 18⅜, closed $1 19⅜.

Corn—Receipts, 3,225 bushels; exports, 1,874 bushels; sales, 10,000 bushels futures. Spot steady; No. 2 nominal elevator, and 56c f. o

OAKLAND PLOT REPORTED SOLD

Willis L. King Said to Have Bought Wood Property for $75,000.

TWO GOOD EAST END DEALS

The sale is reported of part of the Wood property, formerly the old Coltart holdings, on the west side of Forbes street, opposite Coltart square, the reputed buyer being Willis L. King, vice president of the Jones & Laughlin Steel Company. The part sold is in two parcels, each fading about 75 feet in Forbes street and extending through to Fifth avenue. Both are vacant and lie on each side of the old Coltart homestead, which is not included in the deal. The property is valued at $500 a front foot, which would make the purchase price about $75,000. It has been on the market for some time and is regarded as one of the most desirable plots in Oakland. Mr. Wood lives in Philadelphia, and Mr. King was absent from the city yesterday, so that the details of the deal could not be learned.

Through the office of A. L. Watson, R. B. King has sold 120x146 feet at the northeast corner of North Negley avenue and Elgin street, Nineteenth ward, for $15,500. For R. B. Mellon Mr. Watson sold 57x120 feet abutting this lot and facing in Elgin avenue. This makes a site 203 feet deep and with a wide entrance on both streets. The buyer is George T. Richards, vice president of the Drake & Stratton Company, who will improve the site with a handsome rubble-stone residence to cost $30,000. A feature of the latter will be a large auditorium on the upper floor for a playroom for children.

H. R. Scott sold for F. E. Nicola to William Pitts 100x120 feet on the south side of Penn avenue, near West street, Wilkinsburg, for $17,600. The lot is improved with a frame store building of comparatively small value.

Can Choose from 15 Lots.

When the high school site committee meets at 1:30 o'clock today at the Hotel Schenley it will have under advisement at least 15 sites which have been submitted. Some of these sites may be visited during the afternoon, although most of them have been inspected at a previous excursion of the committee. A site will probably be recommended to the board today and the purchase made at a meeting of the board at a later date. Following is a list of the properties offered thus far, as given out yesterday by Secretary Charles Reisfar of the Central board:

Christopher Magee, Forbes street, 11.5 acres, $360,000; Porter & Dilworth, Fifth and Amberson avenues, 3.25 acres, $201,000; property offered by W. J. White, 300 feet in North Highland avenue and 175 feet in Hampton street, $75,000; Breese & Aufderheide, Murray avenue, 10 acres, $75,000; John Murphy, 258 feet in Derrah street, 300 feet in Lathrop street, with a depth of 200 feet, $90,000; George Singer estate, Fifth and Penn avenue, 4.5 acres, $200,000; Elizabeth J. Mashey, 314 feet in Penn avenue, 90 feet in Juniata street and a depth of 417 feet, $120,000; Miller, 280 feet in Penn avenue, 301 feet in Rebecca street, 200 feet in Dauphin street and 160 feet adjoining Garfield school, $100,000; Willis L. King, Coltart square, 231 feet in Fifth avenue, 231 feet in Forbes street with a depth of 274 feet, $184,800; Lloyd homestead, Fifth avenue, Dithridge street and Bellefield avenue, 3.11 acres, $400,000; Heeren five acres Center, Millvale and Atlantic avenues, $250,000; property submitted by Avery & Irish, 414 feet in Neville street, 268 feet in Bayard street, 279 feet in Ellsworth avenue, with an average depth of 330 feet, six acres, $375,000; property submitted by John A. Sharp, Forbes street, Murray avenue, Darlington road and Shady avenue, six acres, $250,000; E. B. Alsop, 605 feet in Center avenue, opposite Shadyside station, 5.25 acres, seven and six-tenths miles; site in the Beechwood boulevard, running from Wilkins to Homewood avenue, between Forbes street and Fifth avenue, the property of John W. Garland, and presented by F. E. Kingley, at $160,000.

News of Building World.

Architects Nirdlinger & Simpson have plans for a three-story brick apartment house to cost $35,000.

Plans have been prepared by Architects Rutan & Russell for a $20,000 residence for Mrs. George E. Chaitant.

Architects Vrydaugh & Wolfe have plans for a fine stable for Jacob Kaufmann in Wightman street, near Beacon street, Twenty-second ward.

Bids are being taken by Architect Charles W. Bier for two stores and eight brick houses for C. L. Young in Herron avenue, to cost about $20,000.

Architect J. E. Oblitz is taking bids on a $10,000 residence for T. P. Roberts in Bayard street, near Morewood avenue.

Architect R. Maurice Trimble is receiving estimates on two brick houses for Mrs. Caroline Seiling of Allegheny, to cost about $14,000.

Architect Max Bruening has plans for a brick and shingle cottage of the English style, which he will build for himself on Squirrel Hill at a cost of $15,000.

Three brick houses will be built by C. S. Potter in Tioga street at a cost of $14,000 from plans by Architects Nirdlinger & Simpson.

New buildings were authorized in Pittsburgh yesterday as follows:

Building permits were issued yesterday to the Sun Company for a one-story iron-clad warehouse, in Atlantic avenue. Second ward, to cost $3,000; Central board of education, for repairs to Fifth Avenue High school, $15,558; G. W. and C. F. Lotterman, three two-story brick veneer dwellings in Frankstown avenue, Twenty-first ward, to cost $5,250; Mrs. Mary Montague, two-story frame dwelling in Wadsworth street, Thirteenth ward, to cost $1,100; M. McMiller, two-story brick veneer dwelling in Idlewild street, Twenty-first ward, to cost $3,500; Smith & Co., two-story brick veneer dwelling in Bennett street, Twenty-first ward, to cost $3,500; Emil Stengel, four two-story brick veneer dwellings in Loretta street, Twenty-third ward, to cost $8,000; Mrs. Elizabeth Edwards, one-story frame dwelling in Excelsior street, Thirty-first ward, to cost $1,300; David Foltz, two-story brick dwelling in Eighn street, Nineteenth ward, to cost $9,000; J. H. Steffler, two-story brick dwelling in Hastings street, Twenty-second ward, to cost $4,000, and Mrs. C. M. Bock, two two-story frame dwellings in the rear of Spahr street, Twentieth ward, to cost $3,400.

Will Sell Lorain Lots.

Joseph P. Rankin & Co. have been appointed the Pittsburgh agents for the plan of lots of the Sheffield Land and Improvement Company at Lorain, O. The property lies alongside the $10,000,000 tube plant of the United States Steel Corporation which will be in full operation next spring. There are over 5,000 lots in the plan, ranging in cost from $300 to $1,000 each for the building lots, and from $3,000 to $12,000 each for the manufacturing sites. The contract was awarded some time ago to the Nicola Building Company of this city for 200 houses to be built on the plan, and nearly 200 more dwellings are or soon will be under way there. A large plot in the center of the plan has been reserved for park purposes, and the property is also near the Oakwood park. The lots will be sold on initial cash payments of 10 and 15 per cent, with the balance on easy installments.

An interesting result of advertising is reported by the Currier company, which placed three "ads" for five-acre farms near Bridgeville. The property is near the Wabash and Panhandle railroads. A total of 72 inquiries came in answer to the "ads," and out of these the firm made nine sales, the average price of the five-acre plots being $1,500 each. Among those whose deals were closed this week are Frank W. Clapp, A. Fred White, Nicholas Larkin, Walter Wethering and Henry Lewis.

Paid Only $65,000.

It develops that the actual price paid for the Barrett lot at 626 Penn avenue was only $65,000, instead of $70,000 as first rumored. S. M. Willock bought the property two weeks ago through the office of Samuel W. Black & Co. The lot is 20x60 feet and is improved with a three-story brick building of nominal value.

Monticello street: William B. Deshon sold to William E. Woodard an improved lot, 41x63 feet, on the south side of Monticello street, near Lang avenue, Twenty-first ward, for $7,250.

Logan street: Morris Broido sold to Louis Kaufman an improved lot, 24x100 feet, on the east side of Tioga street, Eighth ward, for $9,500.

Collins avenue: Vernon Fahnestock sold to Henry H. Freeman 62x101 feet on the east side of Collins avenue, near Stanton avenue, Nineteenth ward, for $5,040.

Lawrenceville: The National Union Fire Insurance Company sold to William J. Kitchey an improved lot, 50x150 feet, on the southwest side of Forty-first street, Seventeenth ward, for $4,000.

Grandview avenue: R. A. Balph sold to Leon M. Thurston 45x133 feet at the southeast corner of Grandview avenue and Conaster street, Thirty-fifth ward, for $8,150.

Coltart square: Francis E. Gaither sold to Morris Lando an improved lot, 55x96.5 feet, on the west side of Coltart square, near Forbes street, Fourteenth ward, for $8,500.

Carver street: W. L. Woods sold to Giovanni Caputi an improved lot, 24x100 feet, on the northeast side of Carver street, Twenty-first ward, for $2,350.

South Side: Mark Kail sold to Martin Nowakowski an improved lot, 15x57 feet, on the east side of Fourteenth street, near Sarah street, Twenty-eighth ward, for $2,500.

Mayflower street: Matthew H. Fenton sold to Alfred L. Cralle an improved lot, 23x100 feet, in Mayflower street, near Park avenue, Twenty-first ward, for $2,700.

Raymond street: Charles G. Moll sold to Annie T. Pitfield an improved lot, 30x100 feet, on the northwest side of Raymond street, near Oak Grove avenue, Twenty-second ward, for $2,500.

Susquehanna street: C. D. Shannon sold to Harriet R. McClean an improved lot, 25x100 feet, in Susquehanna street, Twenty-first ward, for $1,200.

The Verner Realty Company sold for James Rushton to William T. Kirkham 43x75 feet in Ferree street, Whitaker, improved with a cottage building for about $2,000.

R. M. Berman of the Merchants Savings and Trust Company sold for Samuel Logan to Jacob Levino, 1 Davis street, a brick house on 30x42 feet, for $4,400.

Mercer & Mazer sold to Mrs. Sophie Miller, a brick house in Benton avenue, Allegheny, for $4,140; for Victor Fradicker to Mrs. Miller a lot in the same street for $688.

B. R. & P. Refused Permission to Use Water Street Station

Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh railroad officials were given a surprise yesterday afternoon when the Baltimore & Ohio railroad officials notified them their passenger trains could not enter the Water street passenger station. The decision to cancel arrangements between the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh and the Baltimore & Ohio was arrived at yesterday afternoon at a meeting of operating officials. They claim the Water street station is not sufficiently large enough to accommodate any more trains, especially in view of the fact that the officials expect, at an early date, to begin the removal of the present passenger station to the corner of Smithfield and Water streets, and on the present site erect a larger and more modern building. The Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh trains will continue to run into the Allegheny station. Several weeks ago the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh made application to the Baltimore & Ohio for permission to run trains into the Water street station and the Baltimore & Ohio officials at that time declined upon the application with favor. Arrangements were virtually completed for the change, subject to the approval of the higher officials of the company. The agreements were placed before the officials in Baltimore yesterday, but were disapproved. The Baltimore meeting was to complete arrangements for the winter schedule. It was decided to put the new time card into effect November 27. All the changes contemplated are not completed, but all those not in conflict with the world's fair travel have been arranged for. Train 14 will arrive in Pittsburgh at 3:15 p. m., train 46 will arrive at 1 p. m. and train 33 will arrive at 11 a. m. The principal change was the establishment of an oyster train. This will be known as train 45, and will arrive at Pittsburgh at 4:45 a. m. This train will run Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday. Other minor changes made do not affect Pittsburgh.

Largest Engine for This District.

The largest locomotive in the world is to be placed on the Connellsville division of the Baltimore & Ohio. The Mallet type of engine, built expressly for the Baltimore & Ohio exhibit at the world's fair, will be brought to the local division as soon as the exposition closes. When in working order it weighs 223,000 pounds, and the weight of the tender filled with coal and water is 143,000 pounds. Arrangements were made to have Christian Smith, the man who run the first locomotive over the Connellsville division, take out the engine on its first trip, or at least start it on its westward journey, but he died last week at the age of 92.

Increasing Interurban Service.

When the new schedule of the Pennsylvania railroad is put into effect November 27 it is probable the interurban passenger service will be extended to Greensburg. Two trains daily each way will be added. It is the intention of the officials to run trains from Beaver Falls to Greensburg. The running of trains from Beaver Falls to Pitcairn at present is proving profitable and more trains will be put into this service and their terminal set for Greensburg.

Adopted Pass Agreement.

Executive officials of the western railroads met Tuesday and adopted rules for the issuance of passes in 1905. The rules agreed upon were the same as are in effect this year. They provide for free transportation on all roads of the high salaried officials and half rates for minor officials and employes.

Railroad Notes.

F. R. Eshelman, advertising manager of the Pennsylvania lines, returned yesterday from a hunting trip.

B. Hornbeck, yardmaster of the Lake Erie at Dickinson Run, has been made general yardmaster at that point.

The National Association of Transportation and Car Accounting officers is holding its annual convention in Cleveland.

W. S. Howell, general eastern agent of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, with headquarters in New York, spent yesterday among local railroad officials.

The Erie has followed the plan of the Pennsylvania railroad in abolishing the center brakeman on freight trains. The perfection of the airbrake is the reason.

W. D. Hill, connected with the offices of the Pittsburgh, Chartiers & Youghiogheny railroad, and E. B. Young, shot four deer and a bear while on a hunting trip in Canada. They returned home yesterday, bringing the game with them.

Transfers Recorded.

Warne A C to W D Hepburn, Nov 12, McKeesport, 240x110, Novella st.....$ 2,500
Tenume Wm D to Lina E Wachob, Oct 31, 11th wd, Alle, 118x115, Morrison ave 30,000
Wack Daniel to Kath Schronner, Sept 26, 21st wd, Pgh, 28x165, Old Puckerty road 3,000
Arnold J T to Allan McFadden, Sept 29, 5th wd, Alle, 22x124, Sheffield st..... 4,400
Stonecipher J F to F G Lillo, Nov 11, Oakdale, 75x141, Hastings ave..... 38,000
Bowers H C to Arthur J. Batz, Sept. 28, N Braddock, 127x60, Stokes ave..... 2,000
Lesher J M to Wm M Love, Sept 19, Wilkinsburg, 33x112, Mill st..... 4,500
McLaughlin T to J J Horan, Nov 2, 13th wd, Pgh, 34x101, Junilla st..... 3,000
Sweeny J F to F F Woods, Nov 1, 21st wd, Pgh, 37x100, Montezuma st..... 4,500
Brooks E R to Saml Allison, Oct 31, Ingram, 45x110, Muiberry st..... 3,000
Eccles M to Martin Hart, Nov 1, 27th ward, 20x120, Arlington ave..... 1,400
Dahlstrom A to O K Eaton, Nov 7, 5th wd, McKeesport, 19x100, Sylvan ave.. 2,500
Horan J J to T McLaughlin, Nov 2, 13th wd, Pgh, 34x101, Junilla st..... 3,000
Lichtenstein A to Lena Berkowitz, Nov 5, 6th wd, McKeesport, 30x85, Evans ave 3,600
Same to same, Nov 5, 5th wd, McKeesport, 48x29, Martin st..... 2,800
Downey F S to Odd Fellows Hall Assn, N Homestead, Oct 22, Homestead, 54x110, Ninth ave..... 6,800
Davis Harry to H H Smith, Nov 1, 23d wd Pgh, 59x80, First ave..... 75,000
McAnaney Henry to L J Hoffman, Oct 5, Reserve twp, 60x263, Troy Hill road... 2,000
Weigle Alberta to J W Phillips, Nov 9, Sharpsburg, 47x60, Eighteenth st..... 2,200
Rifner W J to C Hilderbrand, Feb 24, Port Vue, 25x120, Delaware ave..... 1,200
Remark J G W to A M Weaver, Sept 22, Baldwin twp, 100x218, Brownsville road 2,000
Henning Caroline to E S Miller, Nov 9, 21st wd, Pgh, 40x102, Thomas st..... 7,300
Cooper John to Anderson Telegraph Co Ltd, Nov 3, 16th wd, Pgh, 48x100, Penn ave 8,000
Carver John to Wm Fitzgerald, Oct 14, 40th wd, Alle, 20x80, Sarah st..... 1,700
Wilson Wm N to A C Easton, Nov 4, Elizabeth, 82x94, McKeesport road... 1,600
Fair D M to L M McCarty, Oct 8, 20th wd, Pgh, 50x120, Baum st..... 6,750
Oxtoby J T to L J Riegler, Oct 28, Ben Avon, 50x150, Church ave..... 1,275
Short H H to Chas C Huch, Nov 1, McCandless twp, 20 acres..... 4,875
Haigh Anu to A A Bush, Jan 15, Glassport, 25x110, Monongahela ave..... 1,600
Bailey C G to Thomas Rodd, Sept 1, 1st wd, Pgh, 70x80, Second ave..... 128,000

IN THE THEATERS.

Much Diversity in the Style of Entertainment Offered in the Local Theaters Next Week.

At the Nixon theater next week Mr. N. C. Goodwin gives his annual offering, this time in the form of a comedy-drama entitled "The Usurper," which is said to be even better than were "The Gilded Fool," "An American Citizen" and "When We Were Twenty-One." Mr. Goodwin brings with him every stick of scenery and every bit of embellishment used upon the stage. This adds interest to the production, because he preserves not only the atmosphere, but the locale of the theme.

The first presentation on any stage in Pittsburgh of "Robert Emmet" will occur at the new Alvin theater Monday afternoon, continuing throughout the week, with matinees every day. Most elaborate preparations have been provided by Manager Davis for the presentation of this fine Irish play by the members of his stock company, and not the least interesting feature will be the splendid scenic equipment with which Stage Director Huffman will dress the piece, the scenes being painted from photographs of actual scenes in Ireland.

The Thanksgiving week attraction at the Gayety theater will be the perennial and ever popular Bartley Campbell play, "Siberia." William A. Brady and Joseph R. Grismer are said to have put the old play on well and have provided a strong company. The Kibhineff massacre will be made one of the big spectacular scenes.

Conan Doyle's detective story, "The Sign of the Four," has been dramatized and will be offered to theatergoers in this city next week at the Empire theater. Walter Edwards, who will be remembered as a former stock actor in Pittsburgh, comes to us as the bright particular star in this production. The management has selected a capable company in support of Mr. Edwards, to present the piece in an intelligent manner.

Pittsburgh has settled down to genuine enjoyment of the Harry Davis Musical Travesty Company at the cozy Avenue. Pittsburgh is the only city in the country outside of New York that boasts of such a form of delightful entertainment. This week the company is giving "Hurly-Burly," while for Thanksgiving week it will be seen in "Fiddle-de-Dee." George Lask, wizard of his calling, will outdo himself in the Thanksgiving week production, while Sidney Riley will contribute his share.

The Four Cohans' greatest success, "Running for Office," comes to the Duquesne theater next week. The company presenting this laughable musical comedy has been selected under the personal care of George M. Cohan, author of "If I Were Only Mr. Morgan," and Sam H. Harris. When last seen here at the Alvin "Running for Office" drew large crowds.

"Shadows of a Great City," is the Bijou's attraction next week, with an extra matinee on Thanksgiving day. One of the oldest melodramas on the stage, it is the same time one of the most popular. The play abounds in thrilling scenes and this year several new effects have been added.

William Ingersoll and Eva Taylor, former leading man and leading woman of the Harry Davis stock company, will be the headliners at the Grand next week. Supported by Mrs. Ingersoll, they will present "Imaginary Madness," a one-act comedy in which these old favorites are said to have ample opportunity to exploit their best efforts. Others in a bill of 15 acts will be the celebrated Ten Iche troupe of Japanese marvicians.

The next attraction at the Academy commencing next Monday is that successful musical extravaganza, "The Devil's Daughter," which will be presented by that organization of players, Scribner's Morning Glories company under the direction of the Scribner-Drew Amusement Company. No expense has been spared in the equipment of this mammoth production and every care has been utilized for the selection of talent.

IN THE OIL FIELDS.

In the 60-foot development, four miles west of Mannington, Marion county, W. Va., the South Penn Oil Company's No. 2 on the C. S. Pyper farm has developed into a real gusher, the largest found in the lower southwest for many months. It was drilled into the pay Tuesday afternoon and started at 15 barrels an hour. At 8 o'clock yesterday morning it was drilled a little deeper, and its production at once increased to 70 barrels an hour, and when last heard from, late in the evening, was holding up strong at 65 barrels an hour.

This well is located 700 feet west of No. 1 on the same farm and about 1,200 feet east of the Delmar Oil Company's No. 1 on the Mays farm. The development has four producers, and it locations count for anything, there should be a number of good producers completed within 30 days in the vicinity of the gusher.

On Kincheloe creek, Lewis county, T. N. Barnsdall has drilled his No. 3 on the F. M. McKinley farm into the Big Lime and the well made three flows from that formation. The tools were lost, and it is now fishing. This is the first well to get off in any quantity in Lewis county. In the Littleton district, Wetzel county, the South Penn has completed its No. 1 on the Mary Thompson farm and has a 40-barrel producer in the Gordon. On the east side of the Folsom district, Harrison county, the South Penn has completed and shot its second test on the S. S. Shriver farm and the hole has filled up 1,000 feet with fluid.

In the Pine Grove extension the Kanawha Oil Company has drilled in its test on the W. W. Lemasters farm into the Gordon and it produced 300 barrels the first 24 hours. In the same district the South Penn has drilled its test on the W. L. Brockover farm into the stray 29 feet and has found nothing but a gas pressure.

At Point Pleasant, Ellsworth district, Tyler county, the Southern Oil Company and McCoach & Co. have drilled their test on the N. Ankrum farm into the Keener and have a 50-barrel producer in that formation. This test is in advance of developments and may open up something new in the way of a Keener sand pool. In the Yellow Creek district, Calhoun county, the South Penn has drilled its No. 4 on the R. E. Gardner farm into the Big Injun and has developed a strong gasser. The same company's No. 3 on the H. I. Jackson farm is producing 175 barrels a day. In the Calcutta district, Pleasants county, Browse, Proper & Campbell have drilled their second test on the James Shevlin farm into the salt sand and it is flowing through the casing at the rate of 75 barrels an hour. In the same district the Dual State Oil and Gas Company has completed its No. 13 on the J. Wingrove farm and has a five-barrel pumper in the Cow Run sand. G. T. Gale & Co. have completed their No. 10 on the S. W. Pratt farm and have a 10-barrel pumper in the same formation.

On the Ohio side in the new development, near Woodsfield, Monroe county, the Traders Oil Company, Mooney & Shaffer, have drilled their second test on the Barbara Sheets farm into the Big Lime and have a show for a 30-barrel producer. This well is 500 feet west of the same company's No. 1 on the same farm. In the same district W. C. McBride & Co. have drilled their No. 3 on the Fred Reight farm into the Big Lime and have a show for a 75-barrel producer in that formation. This is 500 feet southeast of No. 2 on the same farm. In the Wolf Creek district, Morgan county, the Pure Oil Producing Company has completed its No. 8 on the J. T. Stattler farm and has a duster. In the same district A. J. Lockard & Co. have completed their No. 29 on the John Sheets farm and have a show for a 10-barrel pumper. In the Chester Hill district G. E. Foster & Co. have completed a test on the William Peebles farm and have a duster. In the same district the Ohio and Indiana Oil Company is drilling No. 20 on the Joseph Yarnell farm. In the Wolf Creek district, Washington county, the Pure Oil Producing Company has drilled in its No. 17 on the J. J. Lorenze farm and has a show for a 15-barrel pumper.

Shipments and Runs.

Shipments and runs of the Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana fields:

PENNSYLVANIA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
November 15..	78,105	November 14..	77,149
Previously	1,134,114	Previously	818,741
Total	1,212,219	Total	995,890
Daily avg.....	80,814	Daily avg.....	71,135

LIMA OIL.

SHIPMENTS.		RUNS.	
November 15..	82,264	November 14..	76,596
Previously	930,278	Previously	766,981
Total	1,012,542	Total	843,576
Daily avg.....	67,503	Daily avg.....	60,255

The Oil Market.

The Standard quotes credit balances in the several fields as follows: Pennsylvania, $1 60; Tiona, $1 75; Cornlng, $1 57; New Castle, $1 47; North Lima, $1 75; South Lima, $1 02; Indiana, $1 00; Somerset, $1 01; Raghan, 97c; Canada, $1 54. The Producers and Refiners Oil Company quotes $1 60 for Pennsylvania credit balances.

OIL CITY, PA., Nov. 16.—Credit balances, $1 60; certificates, no bid. Shipments, 78,104 bbls; average, 80,814 bbls; runs, 82,500 bbls; average, 71,135 bbls. Shipments—Lima, 82,264 bbls; average, 67,503 bbls. Runs—Lima, 76,596 bbls; average, 60,829 bbls.

TOLEDO, O., Nov. 16.—North Lima, $1 07; South Lima and Indiana, $1 02.

Will Dedicate New Building.

The Munhall school board yesterday decided to dedicate the new borough school building on Friday, December 9. One of Allegheny county's leading educators will deliver an address. The new building cost about $100,000.

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Booklets, descriptive of the hotels advertised, may be had on application at The Gazette office.

The Gazette's resort advertising representative is John C. Benson, general manager of the Resort Advertising Co., Bartlett Building, Atlantic City, N. J. All advertisements will be accepted at the same rates as at the home office of The Gazette.

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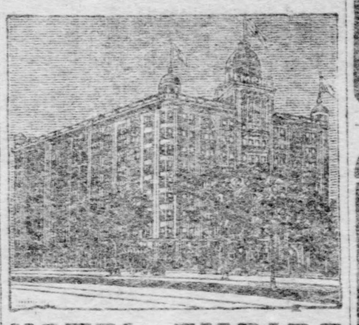

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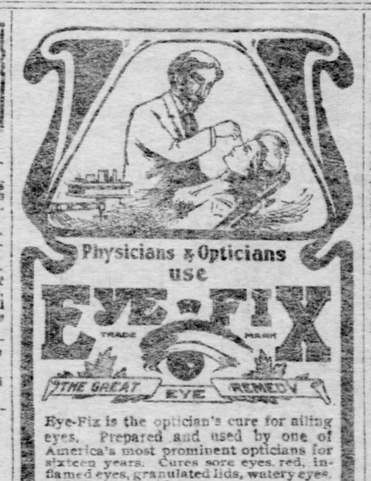

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